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LEWIS—June 30, 1928, at Portlester House, Rathferor, County Meath, the wife of F. H. Lewis, of a son.

STANFORD—June 29, 1928, at Mellifont Nursing Home, Kingstown, to Eva, wife of R. V. Stanford, Corrig Castle, Kingstown, a daughter.

STRONACH—July 4, 1928, the wife of John C. Stronach, Superintendent Engineer, P.W.D., Nairobi, a son.

MARRIAGES.

HUMPHREYS and NEVIN—July 2, 1928, at St. Thomas's Church, Belfast, by the Very Rev. the Dean of Connor, assisted by Rev. C. Culhane, M.A., and Rev. G. Macnamara, M.A., John Alfred Lloyd Humphreys, son of the late Mr. John Humphreys, Portmadoc, North Wales, to Gladys Eileen, daughter of the late Mr. Francis Thornhill Nevin, of Derry and Enniscorthy.

KNIGHT and TYRRELL—June 27, 1928, at the Mariners' Church, Kingstown, by the Rev. Canon Chamberlain, Richard George Ambrose, eldest son of the late Andrew Knight and Mrs. Knight, Clarinda Park, Kingstown, to Letitia, youngest daughter of the late Captain Alfred Tyrrell, of Arklow, and Mrs. Kearon, Adelaide street, Kingstown.

SIMPSON and DOWZER—June 26, 1928, at St. McCartan's Cathedral, Enniskillen, by the Rev. H. Macmanaway, M.A., Rector, Robert James, R.U.C., second son of Robert and the late Mrs. Simpson, Knockbrack, Cranleigh, County Tyrone, to Sara Ann Gwen, eldest daughter of John and Mrs. Dowzer, Killaveney, Tinahely, County Wicklow.

DEATHS.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for insertion in this Column will be found on Page 6.

CONNEFF—July 4, 1928, at his brother's residence, The Rectory, Ramelton, County Donegal, William, fourth son of the late John and Margaret Conneff, Dublin. Funeral Service at St. Werburgh's Church to-morrow (Saturday) at 9.30 a.m. Interment at Mount Jerome immediately after.

de COURCY WHEELER—July 5, 1928, at Robertstown, after a brief illness, Selina Maud Beresford, beloved wife of Major H. de Courcy Wheeler, M.A., Barrister-at-Law, of Robertstown. Funeral at 12 noon on Monday for Kilmegeragne. English papers please copy.

McQUAKER—July 3, 1928, at a Nursing Home, Glasgow, Clementina McQuaker, of 5 Mannering terrace, Shawlands, Glasgow, elder surviving daughter of the late James McQuaker, Sligo.

MAGUIRE—July 5, 1928, at her residence, Moyne, Enniscorthy, Ellen Maguire, relict of the late Bryan Maguire, R.I.P. Funeral from the Cathedral, Enniscorthy, to New Cemetery, after 11 o'clock Office and High Mass, to-morrow (Saturday) morning, July 7th.

O'LEARY—June 30, 1928, at the Private Nursing Home, Sisters of Charity, Hackney, Rosina, widow of the late Dr. W. H. O'Leary, M.P., 1 Merrion square. R.I.P. Interred at Kensal Rise Cemetery.

POLLOCK—June 18, 1928, at 3 Market square, Bicester, Oxfordshire, Alicia Mary, the youngest daughter of the late Mr. John Pollock, of Cloughjordan, County Tipperary, aged 82.

STONEY—July 5, 1928, at his residence, Abbeyleix, Hugh Baker Stoney, M.B. Funeral arrangements later.

TIGHE—July 5, 1928, at her residence, Glencar, Marlborough road, Glenageary, Annie Tighe, of A. Tighe and Co., 7 St. Andrew street, Dublin, daughter of the late John Tighe, of this city. Funeral leaving Glencar, by motor-hearse, R.I.P. Funeral leaving Glencar, by motor-hearse, to-morrow (Saturday), 9.30 a.m., for Glasnevin Cemetery.

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And Notice is hereby further given that after the said 1st day of August, 1928 the Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which notice shall have been given as hereby required.
Dated this 27th day of June, 1928.
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16 MOLESWORTH STREET, DUBLIN.

Notice of Sitting for Proof of Debts.—21.
SAORSTAT EIREANN.
HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE.
IN BANKRUPTCY.
In the Matter of
JOHN PHILLIPS, of Colloney, in the County of Sligo, Merchant, a Bankrupt.
A Public Sitting in this Matter will be held before the Registrar, at the Law Courts, The Castle, Dublin, on Thursday, the 19th day of July, 1928, at the hour of eleven o'clock forenoon, for the Proof and Admission of Debts and for the vouching of the Official Assignee's account.
A Creditor may prove his Debt at the Sitting, or send his Affidavit of Debt in the prescribed Form, or his details of same to the undernamed Official Assignee, four days previously to the Sitting in order to have the same admitted.
Dated this 3rd day of July, 1928.
JOHN C. MACKEY, Clerk in Bankruptcy.
A. G. HOLLINSHEAD, Official Assignee, the Law Courts, The Castle, Dublin.
EUGENE F. COLLINS and SON, Solicitors for the Assignees, 19 Eustace street, Dublin.

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PURSUANT to an Order of the Supreme Court of the State of Victoria, Australia, made in the the action 1928, Number 423, in which SANDHURST AND NORTHERN DISTRICT TRUSTEES, EXECUTORS AND AGENCY COMPANY, LIMITED, is Plaintiff, and FLORENCE ISABELLA JANE MATHEWS and ADA HARRIET VICTORIA MATHEWS, Defendants, the persons claiming to be next-of-kin to JAMES MATHEWS, late of Gunbower, in the said State, Farmer, who died on the 23rd day of December, 1925, are, by their Solicitors or otherwise, on or before the 24th day of September, 1928, to come in and prove their claims at the office of the Chief Clerk, Law Courts, Melbourne, Victoria, or, in default thereof, they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said order.
The 8th day of October, 1928, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at the said office, is appointed for adjudication upon the claims.
Dated the 22nd day of May, 1928.
M. M. PHILLIPS, Chief Clerk.
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"THE PAGANISM IN OUR CHRISTIANITY."

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JOHN BUNYAN, in the "Pilgrim's Progress," remarks *apropos* of the cave where two giants, Pope and Pagan, dwelt in old time that "by this place Christian went without much danger, whereat I somewhat wondered; but I have learned since that Pagan has been dead many a day." We fear that Bunyan would receive a rude shock if he were to read this book, which argues that, as far as Christian dogmas and rites are concerned, pagan is still far from being dead.

There are two eras fraught with importance in the development of Christian doctrine. The close of the first century A.D. and the first half of the second, saw the New Testament coming into its present shape. When we realise that the earliest Gospel was not compiled until at least 70 years after the birth of Our Lord, and that the latest epistle dates from about 150 A.D., we must admit that there has been time for errors and misunderstandings to have entered. It must have been almost impossible, too, to avoid presenting Christian teaching in a guise completely alienated from the forms of pagan thought in which the inhabitants of countries bordering on Palestine, and, therefore, to some extent, the inhabitants of Palestine itself, were accustomed to clothe their religious thought.

The other important period in the development of Christian doctrine was the fourth century A.D.—a time of great cleansing—when Christianity broke down the pagan religions. The plan adopted apparently was to adapt so many doctrines and ceremonies to Christian belief and worship that these religions were, one might say, absorbed by the Christian Faith.

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The labours of Sir J. G. Fraser in the realm of comparative religion have been turning our minds to the fact that what has for centuries passed as peculiar Christian belief has strange analogies and counterparts in the religious beliefs of other peoples. The influence of such religions as the worship of Adonis, of Osiris and Isis, and of Mithraism leavened very considerably the religious thought of the peoples of the Eastern Mediterranean during the first three centuries of the Christian era.

The author pleads for a serious attempt, which is already overdue, to "break through to Him through the ring of old gods who have surrounded Him." He also asks for a pause in prayer-book revision until some re-statement in Christian belief has been made to meet the needs of to-day's intellect. He feels that a new definition of His divinity is demanded less crude and less categorical than that of the Nicene or Athanasian Creeds, and asks Protestantism not to be content with the return to primitive Christianity, but to return to the true Catholic Jesus—the Jesus of history.

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We think he hardly realises the difficulty of picturing a Divine Redeemer unidentified with the conceptions of pagan religious thought. The "Desire of all nations" must appeal to every phase of human thought, and must carry in Himself the ideals of the less civilised as of the higher races. We agree, however, that for higher minds the conception formed of Him should be as free from dross as may be, though the separating of the dross from the pure metal will be a matter of great difficulty, involving sometimes wide divergence of opinion.

The frankness of the book, coupled with the earnest desire of the writer to help those who are not satisfied that the picture as we have it is correct, or that the frame sets it off in the best possible way, will appeal to all who read it. There is no doubt that many people will be perturbed, but personally we have no fear of a book of this type weakening our faith. We are glad to see the fiercest searchlight of criticism being thrown on the Christian Creeds; for we are convinced that whatever will not stand the test of that searching beam cannot be of God—and we know that the beliefs that really matter will not be harmed by its rays.

"The Paganism in Our Christianity." By Arthur Weigall. London: Hutchinson. 7/6 net.

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PERHAPS, if the Táilteann Awards Committee had given the prize for the best prose by an Irish writer in the last four years to Mr. Forrest Reid for his remarkable autobiography, "Apostate," it would find few to quarrel with its judgment. We reviewed this work at some length when it appeared in 1926, and drew attention to the fragile and scholarly beauty of this writer's picture of a boyhood lived in Belfast, with the Classics as an imaginative refuge from practicality. Now the book is published in a beautiful little pocket edition.

"Apostate." By Forrest Reid. London: Constable. 3/6 net.

OLD IRISH POETRY.

DR. KUNO MEYER had the exceedingly rare merit, in translation, of combining profound scholarship with literary art. He attempted, with complete success, to make intelligible to the modern mind "a literature so little known that its very existence has been doubted or denied by some, while others, who had the misfortune to make its acquaintance in ill-chosen or inadequate renderings, have refused to recognise any merit in it." The majority of the poems in this volume can be read with pleasure even by a person who knows nothing of the Irish language or of Irish literature. They have freshness and simplicity, and they fulfil Wordsworth's definition of poetry, as expressing "the spontaneous overflow of powerful feelings."

We have glimpses of the "Isles of the Happy" and of Bran's "Silver-cloud Plain"—

Pedestals of white bronze underneath
Glittering through ages of beauty,

and there are many enchanting pictures of scenery, and descriptions of beast and bird. Gooray, a seventh century King of Connaught, endeavours to persuade his brother, Marvan, to leave his "shieling in the wood" and to return to the court. Marvan sings so well of his "lintel of honeysuckle," of the "familiar cuckoos" above his house, of "fair white birds," "dun heathpoults out of the russet heather," of "brilliant summer-time," spreading its "coloured mantle" and

Swarms of bees and chafers, the little musicians of the world,
A gentle chorus:
Wild geese and ducks, shortly before summer's end,
The music of the dark torrent,

that the monarch says he would give his kingship and his father's heritage to remain in the hermit's company.

In a song of winter, although "cosy our pot on its hook,' the poet is worried because

The little wren cannot find
Shelter in her nest on the slope of Lon,

and "the blackbird cannot get a bee to her liking," and even because

The wolves of Cuan-wood get
Neither rest nor sleep in their lair.

Most of these poems belong to the monastic period, when "the Celtic spirit dominated a large part of the Western world," and when Irishmen, "carrying Christianity and a new humanism over Great Britain and the Continent, became the teachers of whole nations, the counsellors of kings and emperors." "The fact that so many of these poems are ascribed to well-known saints," Dr. Meyer says, "emphasises the friendly attitude of the native clergy towards vernacular poetry." The scholar-saint Moling sang—

When I am among my elders
I am proof that sport is forbidden:
When I am among the mad young folk
They think I am their junior.

Early Irish literature is abundantly rich in humour. One wonders, however, whether King Cormac, reputed author of the "Instructions to a Prince," was in jest or earnest when he explained to Carbery what he thought of women. This passage—of which Dr. Meyer made a racy version—must be one of the unkindest criticisms of "the sex" in any literature:

They are crabbed as constant companions
steadfast in hate,
forgetful of love,
stubborn in a quarrel,
sorrowful in an ale-house,
rejecting wisdom,
deaf to instruction,
blind to good advice,
fatuous in society,
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"Selections from Ancient Irish Poetry" was first issued in 1911. This new edition is published at a low price and in a very convenient form. J. C.

"Selections from Ancient Irish Poetry." Translated by Kuno Meyer. (Constable's Miscellany). London: Constable. 3/6 net.

AN IRISH GARDENER IN MALAYA.

ENTHUSIASTIC gardeners who have watched their gardens blighted by drought, and now gaze through rain on plants that a wintry storm is lashing to the earth, will read "A Garden Book for Malaya," which is written by an Irishwoman, with envy. Hundreds of copies doubtless will be sent or taken out to Malaya; but the stay-at-home reader will find pleasure in the photographs of tropical avenues, creeper-covered porches, and gorgeous flowering trees. What marvellous opportunities the gardener of Malaya enjoys!

The book is thoroughly scientific. It covers the whole ground of gardening, with *data* concerning every variety that can be grown successfully, and hints on methods of cultivation and records of experience. Mrs. Gough—who, by the way, now resides at Raford, County Galway—evidently possesses, besides botanical learning, that genius for garden design, which is among the rarest and most precious of artistic gifts. Her taste is of the finest. "In designing a garden there are several points to be remembered. Simplicity, unity, and good proportions all tend to restfulness. Want of simplicity is caused by the indiscriminate dotting of little beds and meaningless serpentine paths and unsuitable garden ornament. . . . True individuality is spontaneous and will make its mark unconsciously."

Mrs. Gough does not approve of the effort to imitate Chinese gardening. She admires the Chinese art; but "if practised in a European owned garden I think it should be kept apart from the rest of the garden." Hence, "when a collection of ornamental and flowering plants is grown in the Chinese manner, on raised pedestals and in ornamental Chinese jars, they should be collected in one large group, and . . . not arranged here and there." In the main, while working under tropical conditions, Mrs. Gough aims at reproducing the atmosphere of home; and with the use of red brick walls and the cultivation of fine lawns and shady trees, this can be done, she says, with admirable success. The chief strangeness to a European in the climate of Malaya is the absence of seasonal changes.

"A Garden Book for Malaya." By Kathleen Gough, F.R.H.S. London: Witherby. 16/- net.

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"Drake's Mantle." By Norman K. Bentley. Jarrolds. 7/6 net.

AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND.

HOME notions of what life may be like in the Antipodes—in the Bush of Australia, for example, or even in the more settled New Zealand—considered as a whole, can be curiously at variance with the facts.

This possible wrong point of view can be easily understood. Actually, it is nobody's fault. Even the guide books, whether tourist or travel proper, or even emigrant literature, cannot be blamed for the misconceptions which may arise. Are not works of the latter class primarily concerned with the surface of things, and those things which matter apparently concrete facts and statistical information and the like, for instance—rather than with the every-day private lives of the people inhabiting the countries which are being described? Where is one to turn, therefore, when in search of such vital information? It is not a question which is easy to answer, but the germ of the idea of a reply is forthcoming in the "Outward Bound" Library which Messrs. Dent and Sons launched the other day.

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The two first volumes, "The Australian Bush," by Mary E. Fullerton, and "The New Zealanders," by Hector Bolitho, are cast in a sense on lines which would be a reply to a query like: "What exactly is life like in the Antipodes from the point of view of a settler or possible resident?" Because of that they can be extraordinarily useful, and it can be said also that they are remarkably readable. Probably this is due to the fact that the authors are clearly in love with their respective subjects, as, of course, a good Australian or New Zealander should be when either writes of his native land.

Of the two books, the more intimate note in struck in Mrs. Fullerton's work. She is a child of the Bush, and she glories in it, loves it. Indeed, she paints possibly almost too rosy a picture of the back-blocks of Australia, which appeal to her heart, perhaps, more than to her head. This enthusiasm for hers, added to her affection for her task, makes her book a most fascinating one, and certainly it will take away the terror of the wildness from the town-dweller. Assuredly, life in the Bush is and must

"A Fourteen Pointer," by Harry Rountree, one of the illustrations in "The New Zealanders," by Hector Bolitho (Dent), which is reviewed to-day.

be simple, but it has been bettered enormously of late years. Nowadays there are even bakers to deliver bread in most townships, and here are typical Bush prices for necessaries: Bacon (lb.), 1s. 3½d.; beef, 8d.; mutton, 9d.; pork, 1s. 1½d.; bread (2lb.), 5½d.; butter (lb.), 2s. 0½d.; cheese, 1s. 4½d.; coffee, 2s.; tea, 2s. 3d.; sugar, 4½d.; rice, 3½d.; eggs (doz.), 2s. 7½d.; flour (25lb.), 5s. 1½d.; milk (quart), 8½d.; potatoes (14lb.), 2s. 5½d.

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Mr. Bolitho does not get down so nearly to hard facts in his book upon New Zealand. The masculine mind is not so concerned with such intimate details as prices as is the feminine; but he, a son of the land and of farming stock, almost convinces one that his country is the Land of Promise. The mission he sees for New Zealand is to be a vast farm peopled by industrious people leading happy, industrious lives. It possesses the climate and the soil, and it is a white man's country, with the Maoris as good as white men.

This review is necessarily brief. So far no mention has been made in it to the descriptions of the resources of either Australia or New Zealand in the way of sport and pleasure, as well as work; but this is done charmingly and fully by both authors. The publishers have done their share well, the books being handy in size and beautifully produced and illustrated with line drawings. In fact, this "Outward Bound" Library, which is to embrace the intimate features of the countries which compose the British Empire, will be a valuable contribution to contemporary life when it is completed, and will be as readable as a novel.

M. M. K.

"The Australian Bush." By Mary E. Fullerton. "The New Zealanders." By Hector Bolitho. Illustrated. (The "Outward Bound" Library.) London: Dent. 5/- net each.

THE ECONOMY OF REPARATIONS.

HERE is a book written to show that Germany can meet her obligations, and that none of the difficulties threatening punctual delivery of reparations payments is of Germany's making. In the first chapter, entitled "The Foothills of Olympus," Mr. Long points out that "new economical theories and new organisations never heard of in connection with debts have been devised, and the result has been to complicate a problem that at the best was hard." In a chapter called "Utis, the Transfers Goose," and in other parts of the book, the author exposes the futility of the complicated Transfers machinery, and argues that Germany has paid, and probably will continue to pay, reparations without sacrificing any part of her savings.

Although every page of the book is shorn of superfluities and is written with obvious mastery of complicated problems of economics, Mr. Long so clarifies the essential issues that his book is not only interesting to the layman, but becomes, with every page, more and more romantic and vivid.

There is much more in this style, and the author is nowhere more entertaining than in Chapter III., of Part II., "The Torments of Marsyas." It is here that Mr. Long gives us a charming personal sketch of Herr Schacht, the President of the Reichsbank, and that he deals with the subject of German foreign borrowing and the municipalities. Mr. Long sums up by stating "it is untrue, except when the matter is looked at from a particular and illusory viewpoint, that Germany has borrowed one mark for reparations since 1924, and it is true that borrowing has increased production and has made it easier to pay reparations."

"The Mythology of Reparations." By Robert Crozier Long. London: Duckworth. 6/- net.

LATEST FICTION.

"AN APRIL AFTER."

THE mental, moral and material development of Anthony Harding is delineated with power and understanding in Ursula Bloom's new novel. The only child of a peevish little lodging-house-keeper, who has been deserted in early life by Anthony's gentleman father, the boy chafes against the prospect of a clerkship in an iron foundry, and seizes the chance given him through a gift for drawing of seeking his fortune in London town. Taken into the charmed circle of the "Chelsea Buns" by one of them, splendidly loyal Virtue, who has lodged with his mother, and paved the way for his escape—Anthony essays to find himself. His commercially paying art makes possible the disastrous marriage with Iñez, a Spanish dancer, lovely, insatiable, irresistible but her vanity is content with nothing less than genius for him, and in his endeavour to reach a higher plane poor Tony loses his bread and butter. Iñez leaves him for a Jew who can give her luxury—but he refuses to accept defeat, and pursues his challenge of destiny. Anthony's beliefs are justified; he paints a miraculous picture, a very humbled Iñez returns to him—but the dice are loaded against him after all.

URSULA BLOOM.

"An April After." By Ursula Bloom. Hutchinson. 7/6 net.

LORD PETER WIMSEY AGAIN.

PUBLISHED to-day, "The Unpleasantness at the Bellona Club," narrates the fourth adventure in detection of Lord Peter Wimsey. Everybody has heard the *Punch* story of the London clubman who said, "Waiter, remove Lord So-and-so; he has been dead for two days." This novel seems to be based on this story. A general is found dead in his chair at the Bellona Club (a fictitious club of which the original many readers will guess), and a fortune of a million pounds is found to depend on the discovery of the precise time of the old man's death. Lord Peter, drawling his witty way through studios and graveyards, rouses quite a swarm of ugly issues, but he tracks mystery to its source. The tale has the agreeable, satiric humour of the writer's earlier books; and, like them, postulates an extraordinary state of society.

"The Unpleasantness at the Bellona Club." By Dorothy L. Sayers. Benn. 7/6 net.

BLAKE TURNED NOVELIST.

PUBLISHED yesterday, "Judgment Day" is a remarkable book. It suggests Blake turned novelist. Judgment Day comes, with the roof of Heaven darkening from sapphire to purple, from purple to indigo, and from indigo to black. Then the Voice penetrates into secret places. Eighteen persons, citizens of a little town, are arraigned, one after another—persons whose names begin with A. Squire, parson, doctor, drunkard, maid and matron, converse in turn with that dreadful, invisible accuser, some to find unexpected justification, and some to find shame. It is done with wit and ingenuity—often wicked ingenuity.

"Judgment Day." By Norman Davey. Constable. 7/6 net.

SELMA Lagerlöf, one of the most distinguished of modern Scandinavian novelists, is among the winners of the Nobel prize for literature. Her latest work is a story of life in Sweden a hundred years ago. Charlotte Löwensköld, a good-hearted young girl, is engaged to a hot-tempered and very self-righteous young curate, Karl Arthur. Karl quarrels with her, as he does with almost everybody, and swears to marry the first woman he meets on the road—who happens to be a pedlar girl. The estrangement of Karl from Charlotte and from his mother is brought about mainly by malicious tongues. Selma Lagerlöf shows wonderful skill in making her world of wealthy bourgeoisie seem to be alive. She never is sentimental, and she has the true novelist's art of making the details of superficially unattractive lives appear to be of absorbing interest. The rich ironmaster, Thea Sundler, Karl Arthur, his mother and Charlotte are all very well-drawn characters. The end, although it is not true to the rules of sentimental fiction, is satisfying; and Selma Lagerlöf's restrained art is seen at its best in the last chapter.

"Charlotte Löwensköld." By Selma Lagerlöf. Translated from the Swedish by Velma S. Howard. T. Werner Laurie. 10/6 net.

A GAME RANGER ON SAFARI.

TO sportsman and naturalist alike, as well as to the average reader, Mr. Blayney Percival's latest volume on game-hunting in British East Africa or, more properly, Kenya, should make a very strong appeal. The book is a sequence to his previous work, "A Game Ranger's Notebook," in which he dealt with the larger and more dangerous game of Kenya, such as lion, rhinoceros, buffalo, etc., but it loses nothing of its interest by the fact that it treats almost exclusively of what may be termed lesser game. Indeed, to sportsmen in these countries who seldom meet anything bigger than a hare, the vastness and the variety of species of African game is almost bewildering.

To give here anything like a full list of the animals, reptiles and birds included in Mr. Percival's survey would be impossible. Although the author gives an account of the habits of each variety, together with a description of the size and points of each particular type, the work is far from being a purely technical one. He is full of reminiscences of his own experience, both as a hunter and collector, as well as a preserver of game, and has many attractively told and interesting anecdotes to relate. He recalls one pathetic incident in his chapter on "Baboons and Chimpanzees," strikingly indicative of the strong maternal instinct of such animals.

He once watched a mother baboon dragging her dead baby to the riverside and trying to persuade it to drink. "She could not, or did not, realise that the little one was dead." This trait is in direct contrast to the male of the species, who are extremely bad fathers, punishing and driving away their offspring should they come near them. Papa Baboon, however, should an enemy threaten his family, will fly to their protection, fighting bravely even unto death in their defence.

The author also relates for amusement the fact that many monkeys, if they get the chance, become addicted to strong liquors and often become confirmed drunkards, stealing whiskey at every possible chance. He has many tales of mystery and horror to tell of the "Dark Continent," foremost among which is that of the seldom seen, but apparently real, monster of "Lake Victoria," one last relic of prehistoric times.

These anecdotes and tales are but the lighter side of a volume which should be of wonderful help and interest to the lucky few who can afford to make Kenya their happy hunting ground.

The book is copiously illustrated with exceptionally good photographs, and there is also a map of the game reserves of the East Africa Protectorate. Mr. Percival shows himself as a wonderfully keen observer of animal life and habits, to which is added the benefit of his long experience with the Kenya Game Department, the weight of which gives to everything he says the tone of authority transmitted in terms of vividly interesting reading.

"A Game Ranger on Safari." By A. Blayney Percival, late of the Kenya Colony Game Department. Edited by E. D. Cuming. London: Nisbet. 15/- net.

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PUBLICATIONS RECEIVED

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Reminiscences of an Old Civil Servant. By Sir John Arrow Kempe. London: Murray. 12/- net.

Shelley-Leigh Hunt: Records and Letters. Edited by R. Brimley Johnson. London: Ingpen and Grant. 12/6 net.

The Irish Free State, 1922-1927. By Denis Gwynn. London: Macmillan. 12/6 net.

England in the Middle Ages. By R. A. Griffith Davies and F. R. Worts. London: Knopf. 6/- net.

Leigh Hunt's "Examiner" Examined. By Edmund Blunden. London: R. Cobden-Sanderson. 15/- net.

The History of the Suffolk Regiment, 1914-1927. By Lieutenant-Colonel C. C. R. Murphy. London: Hutchinson. 30/- net.

In the Beginning. By G. Elliot Smith. **Pots and Pans.** By H. S. Harrison. London: Howe. 2/6 net each.

Kitchener: Soldier and Statesman. By S. Stuart Starritt. London: Religious Tract Society. 2/6 net.

FICTION.

Marsh Fires. By J. M. A. Mills. Lane. 7/6 net.

Lest Ye Die. By Cicely Hamilton. **Vasco.** By Marc Chadourne. Cape. 7/6 net each.

Eddy and Edouard. By the Baroness von Hutten. Hutchinson. 7/6 net.

A Man of the Midlands. By Bruce Beddow. Cassell. 7/6 net.

Blue Mist and Mystery. By Cecil Adair. Stanley Paul. 7/6 net.

The Redemption of Tycho Brahe. By Max Brod. Knopf. 7/6 net.

To Kiss the Crocodile. By Ernest Milton. Duckworth. 7/6 net.

JUVENILE.

Pax the Adventurous Horse. By Muriel Hodder. London: Faber and Gwyer. 6/- net.

The Unseen Timbers. By Kennedy Williamson. **The Shining Traffic.** By Kennedy Williamson. **Joseph the Pioneer.** By G. S. Parkinson. London: Religious Tract Society. 3/6 net apiece.

The Bible Story Book. By Jane Rayre Fryer. London: Religious Tract Society. 7/6 net.

The Holiday Book for Boys. By Druce Raven. London: Nelson. 2/6 net.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Pioneers of Plant Study. By Ellison Hawks. London: Sheldon Press. 12/6 net.

Condemned to Devil's Island. By Blair Niles. London. Cape. 10/6 net.

Italy's Ægean Possessions. By C. D. Booth. London: Arrowsmith. 16/- net.

Health Services and the Public. By Stella Churchill. London: Noel Douglas. 5/6 net.

The Great Law. Glasgow: Fraser Edward. 5/- net.

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FORGOTTEN GLORIES.

(By "L. H. B.")

HENRIETTA street, Dublin, in 1814, though shorn of some of its residential grandeur by the transfer to Westminster of the Irish Parliament, still maintained the severe dignity which aristocratic association bestows, and still boasted a fair proportion of titles among the occupants of its stately mansions.

The Dublin Directory of round about Union days was an emphatic putter of people in their places, and its pages permitted no mingling of mere merchants and traders with those who wrote "Esquire" after their names. These distinctions were lessening in sympathy with changing ideas, but in 1814 we find no plain "Mister So and So" in Henrietta street. Stately mansions they were, these great houses, and even in our own day, when "Ichabod" is written over so many of the doorways, enough remains to bear testimony to the greatness of the men and women who lived appropriately in houses worthy of that golden period of Irish social life.

That period was not wholly over in 1814. Fashion still recognised and patronised the street, and many an evening found manly pulses bounding, and the cheeks of beauty flushing at the know-not-what, as the lights gleamed on the great staircase, and the laughing crowd swept up to dance night into morning in the rooms which the art of Adam had made glorious. The equipages of rank and wealth were still familiar sights by day and night in Henrietta street.

THE HUSHED STREET.

But there comes a day when this street, whose life is always tuned to concert pitch, is hushed, as if waiting for something untoward and unwished for, but inevitable and thought-compelling. Blinds are drawn, and, if there are watchers, they can only peep cautiously after the fashion of the Misses Pinkerton in Thackeray's novel. What is afoot? At the lower corner of the street there are groups of people, and a slight movement among them suggests that the something, whatever it is, is approaching. But how slowly it comes! Quite a time elapses, and still the street end is empty. The stir in the little throng at the corner increases, and beyond doubt the something is imminent. One or two who wait at the upper end of the street experience that strange half-fear of the unseen, but expected, which makes the watch for the unknown menace one of life's real thrills.

A solemn procession it surely is that presently paces in slow dignity up the street, and there is no lack of outward signs of mourning, in customary suits of black and the dejected 'haviour of the visage. It has had a long journey, this slow, silent procession, from far off St. Germain, in France, and at length is nearing its last halting place, save one. Lady Mountjoy comes home. Time is no longer of any concern to her, and she cares not how slowly they move. Nor has she any pride in the gold-embroidered pall that drapes her coffin gorgeously, nor heeds she the six female mutes who keep vigil through the night, while she lies in state in the great room of what we know as Blessington House. Her flutter of life is over, and she who, while the lawful wife of another, fled away with a madcap lord of eighteen, has again slipped off, but this time with one from whom there will be no more parting, and whose embraces, if cold, are unrelaxing.

OTHER EYES.

What of the madcap lord himself? He dearly loves display, even if it be a funeral, and, having, as soon as occasion permitted, married the woman he enticed away, grudges not to spend two thousand five hundred pounds on her last journey. He does the thing well, and, when it is over, he plunges again into the gay world, where already he has discovered eyes—Irish eyes—that have a dangerous fascination. Those eyes have for twenty-four years been looking at life in many changing aspects, and if, on the whole, they have tried only to see the things that gladden, there have been times when care insisted on being looked at, and when the unwilling tear has gathered in spite of challenging high spirits.

Let us for a moment glance at Lord Mountjoy's new attraction. The daughter of a recklessly extravagant Tipperary squire, Marguerite Power had shone in the ballroom at an age when most girls are in their early school experiences. Young as she was, she was already noticed for grace, elegance and charm of manner. Beauty she had not yet, though it was to come by and by, but where she attracted she held. Admirers had been numerous, and the vivacious girl had grown accustomed to homage. The 47th Regiment was quartered in Tipperary, and its officers were frequent guests at her father's house. Two showed themselves serious in their attentions to the slip of a girl, who should have been learning other lessons than that of love-making. She favoured Captain Murray, but her impoverished father saw to it that Captain St. Leger Farmer should be the selected one. There were angry protests, weepings, and even threats, by the unwilling girl, but the father won. It could hardly have been otherwise. She was barely fifteen.

AN UNHAPPY MARRIAGE.

The marriage took place in 1804, and from the first was a miserable failure. Temporary estrangements commenced after a few months, and in three years husband and wife finally separated. Mrs. Farmer, still in her 'teens, and rapidly adding personal beauty to grace and charm of manner, was much too attractive a figure to escape attention. She and her sister, Mrs. Purvis, while Lady Mountjoy still lived, had been guests to witness the lavishly produced theatricals at Lord Mountjoy's seat in Co. Tyrone. In 1816, two years after his wife's death, he was created Earl of Blessington, and by that time his admiration for Mrs. Farmer had openly showed itself as a stronger sentiment. As might be expected, tongues wagged, especially those of the disappointed ones, who grudgingly abandoned hopes of the capture of an aristocratic widower, with a rent roll of over £20,000 a year.

Then in 1818 Captain Farmer obliged in quite the most approved style of a novelist's way out. A gay night is often followed by an unsteady head. The captain tumbled out of his window, and the conventions of decency were now the only obstacle to the union of the lovers. These conventions were made as brief as possible, and in a few months Mrs. Farmer became the Countess of Blessington.

What wonder if she lost her head a bit? She was young, she was beautiful, and was possessed of a natural charm that would have fascinated had her features been as plain as they were now the opposite. Nor was she without talent. In a circle that included names that still stand high in the records of an age that glowed with the fervour of the romantic movement, she was a hostess of distinction. What wonder, too, if she considered London a more appropriate place than Dublin to display her conquest? In the gorgeously appointed mansion in St. James's square she found a setting worthy of her beauty, her talents, and her desire to shine. Her private apartments were hung with Genoa velvet, fringed with gold, and the furniture was of silver. Her extravagance raced that of her husband, and neither dreamed of prudence. The entertainment was as lavish as the decoration, and hers was one of the leading salons of the great city. In her drawing-room were to be found those who had made their mark in foreign as well as home affairs. Music, the theatre, art, literature and science furnished the talkers at her dinner table, and, if the tone was slightly Bohemian, the enjoyment was, perhaps, all the greater. A frequent visitor was the exile who later, after many vicissitudes, climbed to the rather unstable eminence of the throne of France, and who then, like Pharaoh's chief butler, remembered not the friends of his adversity, but forgot them. There, too, the eye noted the marvellously handsome lad who was prematurely shaking off his youth to become the spoiled pet of those brilliant gatherings, and the even more ardent worshipper of his lovely hostess. It was in Lady Blessington's house that Alfred D'Orsay took his call, and came on a stage set for one of those comedies that life so often changes to tragedy before the curtain is finally rung down.

HARD TIMES.

For three years the game was played gloriously. She was the centre of a circle brilliant in attainments as well as in social standing. True, aristocratic dames kept aloof, and this hurt the woman's heart of the Countess. But the men gathered about her, and what men they were! She was a good listener, and the talk was worth hearing. It is recorded by those whose opinion is worth having that she, as a talker, was good to listen to, and all testify to her wonderful skill in making the shy and the silent come out of themselves, and reveal their unsuspected gifts of conversation. She was withal, big-hearted and kind, especially to her own family, whose many appeals to her purse were never made in vain.

Even an income of over twenty thousand a year could not stand the strain, and, while the pleasure-loving Earl and Countess were living in the high noon of social splendour, the small cloud of financial straitness began to show on the horizon, and rapidly to assume proportions that darkened the hitherto unshadowed way.

This may have been a principal reason for Lord Blessington's suggestion that they should make a lengthened tour on the Continent — a suggestion that found immediate favour with the Countess. This is not the place to describe the strange and varied experiences of that wandering. Byron, as we all know, comes into it, and the Countess grows almost hysterical about him, though she can indulge a sneer at what she considers his weaknesses. After a friendship, measured only in days, they part in tears, and exchange mementoes. He has some superstition about what he gives her, and writes to her for its return in exchange for something else. From Rome the Blessingtons went to Naples, where D'Orsay was wedded to the daughter of the Earl by his former wife. This outrageous marriage is one of the really ugly incidents in the story of these strange people. From Naples they went to Paris, where, with characteristic recklessness, a magnificent mansion was rented, and was decorated and equipped with dazzling splendour. Everything promised a gay time in the thoughtless, pleasure - seeking French capital, when death most incontinently knocked at the door of the glittering house, and would not leave without the Earl himself.

A FASCINATING PERIOD.

Out of the wreck of the estate the Countess was secured by settlement an income of £2,000 a year—an all too slender provision for a woman of her tastes and ideas. She returned to London, and it was just then that Lawrence's portrait, by which the world knows her, was exhibited at the Academy. For some twenty years London knew her again, and they were, in many ways, the most interesting of her career.

As someone said, everyone went to her, and the reader of Tom Moore's "Journals" will find very interesting little references to dinners and visits. One of these has a somewhat bitter touch. It is December, 1833:—

> "Went to Lady Blessington, having heard that she is at home most evenings. Found her gay rooms splendidly lighted, and herself in a similar state of illumination, sitting alone with her glory, reading. It was like the solitude of some princess confined in her fairy palace . . . Stayed about three-quarters of an hour conversing, or, rather, listening."

The lions of the literary world were her constant guests, and it will probably startle some to hear that Charles Dickens, whom so many of us regard as of our own day, was an appreciative frequenter of her entertainments. Greville gives a piquant account of an evening he spent there, and of meeting people whose talk was more noise than conversation. This period of the story is a truly fascinating one, but even briefly to tell it would occupy pages instead of columns.

The comedy ran till 1849, when, on a spring day, an unromantic sheriff's officer got inside the door, and could not be got out. His seizure was the signal to a multitude of other creditors, and the last act began. D'Orsay fled at once to Paris, and the Countess, bundling together a few necessaries, followed. Thackeray supplies us with a picture of the sequel at Gore House:—"I have just come away," he writes, "from a dismal sight: Gore House full of snobs looking at the furniture: brutes keeping on their hats in the kind old drawing-room. I longed to knock them off."

THACKERAY'S TENDERNESS.

The French valet, who remained behind, wrote to the Countess that the only person who seemed affected was Mr. Thackeray. The Lawrence portrait, which originally cost £80, was sold for £336. Lord Blessington's portrait brought £68. That was about March, 1849. By the end of May the Countess had recovered her spirits sufficiently to enjoy dining out in Paris. From one of these agreeable evenings she returned and went to bed. During the night the grim messenger, who twenty years before had called for her husband, came for the wife. On the 4th June she passed so peacefully that it was difficult for those watching to fix the moment.

What of the house in Henrietta street all these years? "The fine stone mansion, the windows and doors adorned with fluted columns, the ceilings, panels and architraves after the manner introduced by Adam," was left to its musings. No gay crowds thronged its noble stairs, or mustered under the richly decorated ceilings. Perhaps, in the hush of the night, echoes of long-lost laughter may have sounded in the empty corridors, and the old house may have felt a thrill pass along its walls in expectation of a matched and powdered pageant come back in brave, but ghostly, showing. It still stands, holding its own against time, but, as the record put it, "modernised, and utilised for chambers by gentlemen of the law."

ALBERT AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE.

WICKLOW FARMERS' VISIT.

A large party of County Wicklow farmers, mostly winter class students, visited the Albert Agricultural College, Glasnevin, yesterday. The visitors, nearly all young men, were received by the Director, Professor J. P. Drew, who showed them over the farm buildings, and then brought them to inspect the farm live-stock. During the tour of inspection many interesting discussions took place.

Mr. Sheehy afterwards took the party in charge, and explained the experimental work he was doing with pigs, particularly as regards the feeding of mineral matter. Mr. Caffrey then assumed charge, and discussed with the visitors the work he was doing with regard to cereals and grasses. Mr. O'Connell explained the scope of the sugar beet experiments, while Professor Murphy dealt in a practical way with his experimental work in the matter of potato diseases, and especially virus diseases. Mr. Sherrard gave particulars of the work being done in the horticultural department, especially as regards fruit and vegetables.

The party had lunch and tea at the college.

AN IRISHMAN'S DIARY.

An Eastern Magnate : The Royal Victoria Hospital : A Gold Coast Potentate.
North and South : An Irish Novelist : Royal Pheasants.
The Free State Air Force.

Sir David Yule.

The late Sir David Yule, who might be termed the Pierpont Morgan of the East, was a typical Scot, whose most remarkable feat was the way he avoided popular fame. Said to be one of the half-dozen wealthiest men in the United Kingdom, patrician and plutocratic multi-millionaires included, and probably worth ten or eleven millions sterling, this Indian merchant and financier lived, after he returned home from a life-time spent in the East, in the simplest style at St. Albans, his only hobbies fly-fishing and collecting Indian prints.

In America such comfortable obscurity in the case of a "dollar king" would be neither desired nor feasible. Even in conservative old England it is remarkable how a business compeer of, say, the late Lord Leverhulme or Lord Inchcape remained utterly unknown to the public outside his own immediate circle.

Sir David Yule's nephew, Mr. David Yule, is in business in Dublin. He was the victim of a serious motor accident recently on his way from the Portmarnock Golf Club to the Malahide Hotel, where he resides, and I am glad to hear that he is getting on well in the Mater Hospital, where he was taken after the smash.

Dublin Brides for Ulster.

The marriage of Miss Irene Hyder, of Dublin, to Mr. Eric Eadie, Lisbellaw, Co. Fermanagh, on Wednesday will increase the Dublin circle in Enniskillen and district, where there already are a number of Southern brides. Mrs. Eadie's elder sister is the wife of Dr. W. A. Dickson, the School Medical Officer of Health in Fermanagh, and during the past few years the number of Dublin ladies who have gone North has been remarkable.

In Enniskillen the first Dublin bride to arrive was Miss Nellie Hume, daughter of the late Mr. Walter Hume, well-known in Dublin commercial circles. She married Mr. James Cooper, M.P. Then followed Miss Marie Dowse, the leader of the talented and popular Dowse string quartet of fifteen years ago, who married Mr. W. Egbert Trimble. And so it was with others. In Belfast, too, with the transfer of Government officials and lawyers after the Partition Act of 1920, regular Dublin colonies have grown up in that city and some of its suburbs.

"Mixed" Weddings.

It is the custom in the North of Ireland when the husband and wife belong to different denominations, that in case of a death in the family clergymen of both denominations officiate at the funeral. The tendency for clergymen of different denominations to officiate at weddings is increasing. Mr. Eadie, who is a Presbyterian, had his uncle, the Rev. Dr. Irwin, Principal of Wesley College, to assist at his wedding. Recently the Rev. R. Morrell, Presbyterian minister, of Bangor, assisted Canon Pratt at a wedding, and the Right Rev. Dr. Hazlett, ex-Moderator of the General Assembly, Ballymena, will assist the Bishop of Clogher at the forthcoming marriage of his son to Miss Mabel Rutherford in Enniskillen Cathedral Church.

A Versatile Banker.

The Right Hon. Reginald McKenna, who celebrates a sixty-fifth anniversary today, displayed, while still at Cambridge, such a taste for figures that it might have been easy to predict the great success he has achieved both as Chancellor of the Exchequer during a most difficult period of the war, and, since his retirement from active politics, as Chairman of the Midland Bank. In his university days, however, though he did well in the schools, his chief fame was as a sportsman; for besides winning the University billiard championship, he rowed in the Light Blue crew in 1887, and won the Grand and Steward Cups at Henley.

RIGHT HON. R. MCKENNA.

In politics his early mentor was Sir Charles Dilke, who prophesied a big career for him, and that opinion was shared by Lord Oxford and Asquith. Mr. Baldwin, it will be remembered, wished to secure him, despite his Free Trade views, as Chancellor of the Exchequer before the promotion of Mr. Winston Churchill.

Jovial Democrat.

When he returns to his Gold Coast kingdom, Sir Ofori Atta will leave behind him pleasant memories. Londoners have not been hosts to a more jovial good fellow than this democratic dusky monarch. His good humour is invincible; he has a schoolboy zest for fun, and his delight in London's sideshows has been unfeigned. All these qualities and his engaging habit of wearing his gold crown of State, as other mortals do a felt hat, on all and every occasion, make Sir Ofori a real Cockney favourite.

Never has London been more thoroughly "done" than by him. His *tour-de-force* was his shrewd tale to the City shareholders in the Akim Company. His big moment was when, smiting his chair with frank admiration, he heard himself on a gramaphone record. And what a true democrat. When his small page, nodding in the Distinguished Stranger's Gallery during a dull House of Commons debate, almost let the royal crown slip off his lap, Sir Ofori merely exchanged grins with him.

A Prolific Writer.

Mr. Maurice Walsh, whose first book, "The Key Above the Door," was one of the best sellers of the Christmas season last year, will have his second novel, "While Rivers Run," published next month. This last story has been running as a serial in *Chambers's Journal*, and the Chambers' firm will publish the book. But Mr. Walsh has not waited, as many of our writers, for the publishing of one book before beginning another. I hear that he has just finished his third book, entitled: "The Small Dark Man," and, as in his other stories, the hero is an Irishman, placed in a Scottish setting.

MR. M. WALSH.

Mr. Walsh has had remarkable success in Scotland, and is very popular with *Chambers's* readers. His long residence in the Highlands has taken full possession of him, and he brings to his work the full breath of the mountains and moorlands, and the tang of the salt sea spray. No wonder his books have been styled men's books, and make their appeal to the mountaineers, the trampers, and the virile lovers of nature, who revel in the open air life.

The Free State Air Force.

Now that the Free State Army Air Force is so much in the limelight I am reminded of a visit that I paid to Baldonnel Aerodrome in January, 1923—while the civil war was still dragging along. Even then, in the days of its infancy, I was greatly impressed by the atmosphere of discipline and hard work that pervaded the camp. It has not changed in the interval.

When the Free State Army took over Baldonnel in April, 1922, it did not possess a single aeroplane nor any of the essentials for building up an air service, but, by September of that year, it owned one machine, and had a grand total of two pilots. An instructional machine arrived a week before the Four Courts fighting. Between July and August of that year six other machines were ordered. But there were still only two pilots. In September, 1923, the first three pupils began to train, and training has been carried on without a break ever since.

Early Difficulties.

Those were rough times. In the autumn of 1923 the newly-fledged air force had bases at Waterford Racecourse, Kilkenny and Limerick, but, as the *personnel* still consisted of only two pilots and about twenty mechanics, the difficulties which the force had to face can be easily realised. The machines shifted from base to base as the "Irregulars" occupied the areas in question. The day before the evacuation of Cork by the anti-Government forces Colonel Russell made a valuable aerial reconnaissance over the Southern city.

When in October, 1923, it was decided to establish a base at Fermoy, two machines which flew down there found no shelter ready, the original hangars having been completely destroyed by "the enemy." Nothing daunted, however, the Free State soldiers and airmen set to work and built a shed around the two 'planes! Towards the end of the same year, realising the necessity of having their own troops for garrison purposes, in order to train them eventually for co-operation with aircraft and in handling machines, a special battalion was formed and put into training. Since then the force has never looked back, and now bids fair to play an important part in developing civil aviation in the Free State.

Fearless Motorist.

As I waited for a tram in College Green the other day a two-seater flashed past me and perched on the smooth surface of the closed dickey I saw a black spaniel. He was quite unconcerned, looking about him at the traffic with an air of detached interest, and apparently preserving his precarious balance without an effort.

Less daring was a collie I knew, who showed a marked distaste for travelling by motor. When I asked the reason of his prejudice I was told that once, when the car had been rather full, "Boyo" was taken in front. Endeavouring to stow himself away comfortably out of reach of human legs, poor "Boyo" sat heavily on the accelerator. The result so disconcerted him that he would never enter a motor again. A canine psycho-analyst might make a fortune out of patients like this.

Books by the Yard!

The majority of people who are buyers of books—and there are many of them, in spite of the prosperity of the lending libraries—periodically have to weed out their shelves to make room for new purchases. A dealer in second-hand "quality" books, books that are worth more than their mere weight in waste paper, tells me, however, that quite an appreciable part of his business lies in supplying books in bulk, entirely without regard for subject or literary merit.

Only last week, he tells me, a man placed an order for "enough books to fill sixty feet of shelving," which he wanted for a new house, and on which he was prepared to spend £150. Apart from a proviso that they should "look all right," the buyer left the choice of the books entirely to the dealer.

An Abbey Builder.

Writing a few days ago about Sir Charles Langham, Bart., of Tempo Manor, Co. Fermanagh, I was reminded that an ancestor of Sir Charles, one Bishop Langham, was one of the builders of portion of Westminster Abbey, and to-day a painting of the Bishop is at Tempo Manor along with all the family plate and other heirlooms of the Langham family. Sir Charles, like many other English gentlemen, sold his estate at Cottesbrook, Northampton, and Tempo Manor belongs to Lady Langham. Sir Charles's only son is now the last of the Langhams.

Wearing Plaits.

There is a sixteen-year-old Irish girl in London who can be distinguished at most of the social functions she attends with her mother by her "pigtails." She is Lady Patricia Moore, Madame de Landa's daughter, and she wears her hair in two long plaits, which fall over her shoulders in front and nearly reach her waist. She has the type of face and large blue eyes which go with this particular style of hair-dressing.

Although she is very young to be going out so much, Lady "Patsy" remains quite unspoiled after several months of the social round. She dances but little, and has been at very few *débutantes'* parties; but she has rarely missed a night at the opera has visited a great many art shows, and attended nearly all the big concerts and recitals of the season.

Back Gardens.

Passing in the train from Harcourt street, Dublin, the other day, it was pleasant to see that most of the back gardens, small though they are, attached to the rows of houses running out to Milltown were nearly all planted with vegetables and in good order. During the war many persons who never before had a spade in their hand found to their surprise that by dropping a few seeds into prepared ground quite an excellent addition to the dinner table would result, and so wholesome, too! Let the good habit be kept up, as cabbage is still dear.

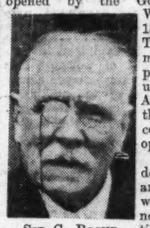
Royal Pheasants Destroyed.

Tragedy has befallen the brood of pheasants which were hatched in the grounds of Buckingham Palace recently. The whole of the brood has been destroyed, it is believed, by a pair of carrion crows. The brood was hatched in one of the shrubberies not a great distance from the front of the Palace, and when the birds began to wander over the lawn the Queen loved to watch them. Gradually their numbers diminished, until all disappeared.

Pheasants have frequented the grounds of the Palace for several years now. In the first instance they flew over from the St. James's Park sanctuary, and, on the King's instructions, they were allowed to remain. The King and Queen often fed the birds, and there is much interest to see if another pair will make the grounds their nesting place.

Hospital Extension.

I am informed that the extension to the Royal Victoria Eye and Ear Hospital, Adelaide road, Dublin, is now virtually completed, and that it will be opened by the Governor-General on Wednesday, July 18th, at 4 o'clock. The annual general meeting of this hospital, which is usually held in April, was postponed this year, so as to coincide with the opening ceremony.



SIR G. ROCHE.

This hospital is doing splendid work, and the new wing will afford much-needed accommodation and increased facilities for the scientific treatment of the enormous number of cases with which the staff have to deal. Sir George Roche, who is Chairman of the Board, takes the deepest interest in the admirable work of this institution.

What Listeners-in Heard.

A country correspondent writes:—I was one of, perhaps, many hundreds who tried to listen-in to the banquet to the three airmen in Dublin on Tuesday night. I would suggest that in future a notice be left beside the microphone that listeners-in hear all the conversation. While vocal and instrumental items were rendered all that could be heard was a running conversation to a *pianissimo* musical accompaniment at times. Some of these at the head of the table carried on a brisk conversation, which was not in the least interesting, but very much disconcerting at times. Good manners demands silence during a musical item.

Irish Goods in Dublin.

Buying some summer haberdashery in Dublin yesterday, I was told that the garments could not be got in Irish manufacture. Inquiring more closely, and reminding my haberdasher that I had obtained Irish-made garments of the sort on former occasions, I was told that they were made still in Northern Ireland, but that the manufacturer no longer supplied the Irish Free State, as the import duties hit his trade more heavily than the trade of English manufacturers, who supply a cheaper quality in these goods. Here is an example of import duties striking existing Irish manufactures, and, presumably, lessening employment in Ireland.

QUIDNUNC.

MOST ROMANTIC COURT.

EMPIRE'S GREAT TRIBUNAL.

"THE DRAWING-ROOM OF BRITANNIA."

(By NEVILLE CORBETTE.)

BEHIND the simple fact that a law case is proceeding at the Privy Council which will last to the end of the present term, and in which no less than twenty-one learned counsel are engaged, there is one of the romances of the British Empire.

No other nation has such a Court of Appeal, steeped in wonderful traditions and with a jurisdiction which is almost world-wide. The rapid development of the Overseas Dominions may in the near future give greater variety to its business—till now India has provided a majority of cases—and it happens that once again it is an Indian cause which has brought five famous judges to sit in simple state and to remind us of this great tribunal. The claim concerns the right to extensive properties on which are valuable minerals, and to press his case, the Maharajah Bahadur Keshava Prasas Singh has come to England with a full retinue. Day by day the Court has presented the picturesque appearance of being "India in London."

NO GREATER POWER.

For the time being, Lord Shaw, Lord Carson, Lord Blanesborough, Sir J. Wallis and Sir L. Sanderson constitute the Court of Courts. There is no greater power for all the millions within the British Empire. Yet, in the matter of actual pageantry and ceremony, it is even simpler that the visitation of a British judge to a county town for the Assizes. The environment is quiet and severe, and, except for the gay colours which the native appellants and their friends invariably bring to the scene, the proceedings would suggest to the average Briton no more than an efficient committee meeting.

The Court of Privy Council has, in fact, been given various popular titles from time to time in its history, and these have indicated its austere simplicity. It has been called the "drawingroom of Britannia," and, again, the "dowdy matron of Downing street." Once, when Mohammedan and Hindu litigants brought a thorny problem before it, one Indian admirer of British justice called it in a message to Calcutta the "*Judish-al-Komiti*"—"the instrument of Allah in London."

It is not an ancient Court. It was only established ninety-four years ago to meet the needs of the growing Empire for a tribunal which should advise the Sovereign and mete out justice to rich and poor, irrespective of race and colour, throughout the British Dominions.

THREE JUDGES.

The Court must consist of not less than three judges, and, although it is not a fixed rule of its composition, it has become a rule by precedent that a Lord of Appeal shall be one of the members. The Court is virtually the voice of the King for millions of his subjects, and, in order to preserve this character, the manner of announcing decisions differs from that of all other tribunals. No verdict is given in Court at the end of the proceedings. The judges arrive at their considered view and present their report and advice to His Majesty, who gives effect to it through an Order in Council.

No Court has such delicate problems to solve. They are richly varied, and often have involved questions of tribal wars or dramatic family feuds. In the present instance the right to some fifteen thousand acres of rich territory is at stake, and it is the sort of question which has often arisen.

A few years ago a problem of the kind came to the Privy Council, after it had provoked no little bloodshed, because it had been so difficult to make the Indian natives believe that there could be such a wonderful Court of the Great White Queen which could understand their troubles. After the Privy Council had made its decision known through the Order of the Great White Queen, the happy Indians lit great bonfires in its honour.

FRIEND OF THE HUMBLEST.

It is the friend of the humblest subject, and this is proved by the record of a poor woman who had lost her husband while he was employed on an overseas railway. The local Court awarded her more than a thousand pounds compensation, but the railway company refused to pay. They briefed a dazzling array of counsel and got the award quashed. A kindly lawyer, touched by her sad plight, took up her case, with the result that this great Court of the Empire in Downing street heard the plea for a poor widow thousands of miles overseas. They gave her her compensation and her costs.

The very delicate question of native and religious etiquette involved in titles to access to a temple of Shiva, the jewelled goddess; a rivalry between a yellow god and a red god, and even the destiny of a throne, have been the strange subjects brought before this romantic Court.

If litigants have come to London doubtful of the ability of Britannia in Downing street to understand their curious grievances, they have invariably gone home well content. This romantic Court has been a great peace-maker among the children of the Empire.

BROADCASTING

TO-DAY.

DUBLIN (2RN)—319.1 Metres.

1.30-2.0—Weather Forecast and Gramaphone Concert. 6.0—Gramaphone Concert. 6.15—Cuir i dTir na n-og: Katherine MacCormack, Renee Flynn, Louis Tierney. 7.0—Gramaphone Concert. 7.30—Gardening: G. O. Sherrard. 7.45—Talk, "Ireland for the Tourist": Claire Cooke. 8.0—Station Orchestra. 8.15—Caledonian Male Voice Choir (Conductor, L. G. Banton; Accompanist, Violet MacKinnon): "Over the Seven Seas" (a Recital of Sea Songs and Shanties); Station Orchestra; Caledonian Male Voice Choir: "Alexander" (Dr. Brewer), "Off in the Stilly Night" (arr. Thomas), "The Cruiskeen Lawn," "In Absence" (D. Buck), "There was an Old Woman" (Harris), "Lovely Night" (F. V. Chwatal), "The Dance" (J. Otto). 9.15—Cormac MacFaloni-lanich" (Traditional Fiddle): L. Puirt Dubalta: "Joys of Wedlock," "Tongs by the Fire," "Father Tom's Wager"; II., Fuinn: "An Cailin Fionn," "An Chdhaire Dubh"; III., Fuinn: "Is Craidhre an Galar an Gradh," "Bairead Chearbhalain"; IV., Ril: "Miss Monaghan," "The Mills are Grinding"; V., Fuinn: "The Flannell Jacket," "Teanga na nGaedheal" (Clandillon), "An Ros Geal Dubh" (Clandillon). 9.30—Miss Helen Macpherson: Reading, Jeanie Deans and Queen Caroline from "The Heart of Midlothian" (Scott). 9.45—Mamie Dingle (Soprano): "Una Voce" "Barber of Seville" (Rossini), "In a Fairy Boat" (G. Scott), "Echo Song" (Bishop). 9.55—Kitty Pyne (Piano): Nine Preludes, "Poeme," "Mazurka" (Scribin); Prelude and Fugue in D Major (Bach). 10.10—Station Orchestra: "Karelia Suite" (Sibelius). 10.30—Weather Forecast.

BELFAST (2BE)—306.1 Metres (980 Kc.).

12.0-1.0—Radio Quartet. 4.0—Ernie Mason's Dance Band. Daisy Craig (soprano). 5.0—Miss H. E. Gregg: "Motoring in the Wye Valley." 5.15—Children. 6.0—Organ Recital by Fitzroy Page. 6.30—From London. 7.45—A Garden Concert (the programme will be relayed from a garden on the side of Belfast Lough). John Henry (entertainer). Orchestra. 9.0-11.15—From London.

LONDON (2LO)—361.4 Metres (830 Kc.) **and DAVENTRY (5XX)—1,604.5 Metres** (187 Kc.).

10.15 a.m.—Service. 10.30 (Daventry only)—Greenwich Time and Weather. 11.0 (Daventry only)—Gramaphone Records. 12.0—Amina Lucchesi (violin), Margery Cunningham (pianoforte). 12.30—An Organ Recital by Edna C. Howard, Organist and Director of the Choir, Highgate Wesleyan Church (relayed from St. Mary-le-Bow). 1.0-2.0—The Hotel Metropole Orchestra. 4.0—A Ballad Concert. Maud Kerr (soprano), Arthur Brough (baritone), David Penman (violoncello). 5.0—Colonel W. du Pre: "Croquet." 5.15—Children. 6.0—Frank Westfield's Orchestra. 6.30—Greenwich Time, Weather, and News. 6.45—Frank Westfield's Orchestra (continued). 7.0—Mr. Percy Scholes, the B.B.C. Music Critic. 7.15—Bach's Miscellaneous Keyboard Works, played by Edward Isaacs—Two-part Inventions. 7.25—Professor J. Dover Wilson: "Six Tragedies of Shakespeare (an Introduction for the Plain Man)—IV., Othello: Antony and Cleopatra. 7.45—A Pianoforte Recital by Dorothy Hess. 8.15—Gala. An Open-air Diversion by Tyrone Power. 9.0—Weather and News. 9.15—Topical Talk. 9.35—A Short Violin Recital by Enid Bailey. 9.45—"I Pagliacci" ("The Play Actors"). Act I. (relayed from the Royal Opera House, Covent Garden). 10.30—Poetry Reading. 10.45—"I Pagliacci." Act II. 11.15-12.0 (Daventry only)—Dance Music: Jay Whidden's Band.

DAVENTRY EXPERIMENTAL (5GB)—491.8 Metres. (610 Kc.)

4.0—The B.B.C. Dance Orchestra. Vera Southon (light ballads), Stan Dennis (comedian). 5.45—Children. 6.30—Greenwich Time, Weather and News. 6.45—Light Music. Corelli Winslett's Band. Gwen Lewis (contralto). David Bryeley (tenor). 8.0—Vaudeville, from Birmingham. The Three Irresponsibles (in syncopated harmony), Bobby Sanders (light songs), Geoffrey Gaunt (syncopated pianisma), Albert Daniels (child impressions). Philip Brown's Dominoes Dance Band. "The Linkman," a Fantasy of Reminiscence, by George Grossmith. 10.0—Weather and News Read Report. 10.15—Dance Music: Debroy Somers' Ciro's Club Band. 11.0-11.15—Jay Whidden's Band.

MANCHESTER (2ZY)—384.6 Metres (780 Kc.)

2.50—The Blackpool Air Pageant. Interludes by the Station Orchestra. 5.0—Mr. T. Green: "From Writer to Reader—How a Novel Reaches You." 5.15—Children. 6.0—Orchestra. 6.30—From London. 6.45—Orchestra. 7.0—From London. 7.45—From Liverpool. 9.0-11.15—From London.

LIVERPOOL (6LV)—297 Metres. (1,010 Kc.)

5.0—Mrs. Anne Robinson: "Colour Schemes for Flower Vases." 5.15—Children. 6.0—From London. 7.45—The Honourable Adolphus Discourses. 8.0—Famous Northern Resorter—Llandudno. An Orchestral Concert (relayed from the Pier Pavilion). The Llandudno Pier Company's Orchestra, Walter Glynne (tenor). 9.0-11.15—From London.

NEWCASTLE (5NO)—312.5 Metres. (960 Kc.)

12.0-1.0—Gramaphone Records. 4.0—London Programme. 5.0—Lady Margaret Sackville: "Women Adventurers—VII., Anne Bonny and Mary Read (Women Pirates)." 5.15—Children. 6.0—An Organ Recital. 6.30—From London. 7.45—"Jessie of Jesmond Dene," a revue, written by Hugh Francis. 9.0-11.15—From London.

GLASGOW (5SC)—405.4 Metres. (740 Kc.)

4.0—Light Opera. Station Orchestra. George Cunningham (baritone). 5.0—Augustus Beddie—Scots Character Sketches. 5.15—Children. 5.58—Weather Forecast for Farmers. 6.0—Station Orchestra. 6.30—From London. 6.45—From Edinburgh. 6.50—From London. 7.45—Vaudeville. Station Orchestra. Tommy Handley, Bert Symes (baritone), Ida Sargent in songs at the piano. 9.0-11.15—From London.

CARDIFF (5WA)—353 Metres (850 Kc.).

4.0—Opening Ceremony of Queen Alexandra Memorial Hospital, Weston-super-Mare, by the Duke and Duchess of York. Music by the Band of the Somerset Light Infantry and Mogra Military Band. 5.0—Orchestra. 5.15—Children. 6.0—Dora Vine: "Talks to Invalids—Bearing Up." 6.15—From London. 7.45—"Arthur Prince and Jim" (ventriloquial act). 8.0—The Bristol Orchestra. Phyllis Evennett (contralto). 9.0—From London. 9.45—A Choral Concert. The Bristol Orchestra. The Weekey Hole Male Voice Choir. Phyllis Evennett (contralto). 10.45-11.15—From London.

TO-MORROW.

DUBLIN (2RN)—319.1 Metres.

1.30-2.0 p.m.—Weather Forecast and Gramaphone Concert. 7.30—Stage Reminiscences: Frank Fay. 7.45—Gaedhilig: Seamus O Duirinne. 8.0—Miss Sara Allgood, supported by Miss Dorothy Day and Mr. R. Haviland Jackson: "The Jail Gate" (Lady Gregory). 8.15—Maighread Ni Annagain, Amhrain Ghaedhilge: "Casadh an tSugain." "Bruach na Cairrige baine." "Reis Geal Dubh." "Oro se do bheatha abhaile" (Clandillon). 8.30—Petite O'Hara (violin) and Mrs. Boswell (piano): Sonata in G Major (Brahms). 8.55—Doreen Thornton (soprano): "Prayer to Our Lady" (Ford), "Solveig's Song" (Greig), Sunday" (Carew). 9.10—Dr. W. Starkie, Illustrated Lecture Recital: Musical Composers. 9.40—Doreen Thornton (soprano): "Romance" (Debussy), "Madrigal" (Chaminade), "Amsong Nous" (St. Saens), "Chanson Norvegienne" (Fourdrain). "Obstination" (Fontanaille). 9.55—Topical Talk: Harry O'Donovan. 10.10—Treasa Ni Ailpin (Bheidlin): Foun, Buachaill Cool Dubh; Set Dances, Praises of Limerick, and Three Sea Captains: Reels, Salamance and Scotch Mary's March, Bean Dubh an ghleanna. 10.25—Station Orchestra. 10.30—Weather Forecast.

DAVENTRY EXPERIMENTAL (5GB)—491.8 Metres (610 Kc.).

3.30—From Birmingham. The Norris Stanley Pianoforte Sextet. Olive Surgess (soprano). 4.45—Vaudeville, from Birmingham. Fred Masters (the Laughing Coon), Lettice Newman and Eric Richmond (syncopated duets), Mabel Constantiron (comedienne), Teddy Brown and his Xylophone, Olive Kavann in Negro Spirituals, Philip Brown's Dominoes Dance Band. 5.45—Children. 6.30—Greenwich time, weather and news. 6.45—From Birmingham. The City of Birmingham Police Band. Chrissie Stoddard (soprano). 8.0—Two Short Readings, by Ethel Malpas, from Birmingham. 8.30—A Concert of British Music. Eleanor Tyce (soprano), Arthur Cranmer (baritone), the Old English Chamber Orchestra. 10.0—Weather and news. 10.15—Sports Bulletin (

ADCASTING

TO-DAY.

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ther Forecast and Gramaphone
Gramaphone Concert. 6.15—Chair
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C. O'Sherrard. 7.45—Talk.
e Tourist": Claire Cooke. 8.0—
8.15—Caledonian Male Voice
I. G. Bunton; Accompanist.
on) "Over the Seven Seas" (a
Songs and Shanties); Station
onian Male Voice Choir: "Alex-
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9.15—Cormac MacFaionn.
onal Fiddle): 1. Puirt Dubalta;
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Fumn; "The Flannell Jacket,"
Sacuheal" (Clandillon), "An Ros
andillon). 9.30—Miss Helen Mac-
g, Jeanie Deans and Queen Caro-
e Heart of Midlothian" (Scott),
ingle (Soprano): "Una Voce"
lle" (Rossini), "In a Fairy Boat"
he Song" (Bishop). 9.55—Kitty
he Preludes, "Poeme," "Mazurka,"
de and Fugue in D Major (Bach),
Orchestra: "Karelia Suite" (Sibe-
eather Forecast.
2BE)—306.1 Metres (980 Kc.).
Quartet. 4.0—Ernie Mason's
Daisy Craig (soprano). 5.0—Miss
Motoring in the Wye Valley."
6.0—Organ Recital by Fitzroy
m London. 7.45—A Garden Con-
mme will be relayed from a
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Orchestra. 9.0-11.15—From
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vice. 10.30 (Daventry only)—
and Weather. 11.0 (Daventry
Records. 12.0—Amina Lucchesi
Cunningham (pianoforte).
Recital by Edna C. Howard,
rector of the Choir, Highgate
(relayed from St. Mary-le-Bow)
Metropole Orchestra. 4.0—A
Maud Kerr (soprano), Arthur
David Penman (violoncello).
Pree. "Croquet." 5.15—Chil-
Westfield's Orchestra. 6.30—
Weather, and News. 6.45—
Orchestra (continued). 7.0—
the B.B.C. Music Critic. 7.15—
ous Keyboard Works, played by
two-part Inventions. 7.25—Pro-
Bison: "Six Tragedies of Shakes-
(or 'for the Plain Man')—IV.,
and Cleopatra. 7.45—A Piano-
Dorothy Hess. 8.15—Gala. An
by Tyrone Power. 9.0—
s. 9.15—Topical Talk. 9.35—
ted by Enid Bailey. 9.45—
'The Play Actors"). Act I.
Royal Opera House, Covent
Poetry Reading. 10.45—"
11.15-12.0 (Daventry only)—
Whidden's Band.
EXPERIMENTAL (5GB)—
res. (610 Kc.)
Dance Orchestra. Vera Southon
Dennis (comedian). 5.45—
Greenwich Time, Weather and
Music. Corelli Windeatt's
(contralto), David Brynley
Deville, from Birmingham. The
s (in syncopated harmony),
ht songs), Geoffrey Gaunt (syn-
Albert Daniels (child impres-
own's Dominoes Dance Band.
a Fantasy of Reminiscence, by
10.0—Weather and News Road
Dance Music: Debroy Somers'
11.0-11.15—Jay Whidden's
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for Farmers. 6.30—From Edin-
m London. 6.45—From London.
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remony of Queen Alexandra
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of York. Music by the Band
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ks to Invalids—Bearing Up."
7.45—"Arthur Prince and
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Fookey Hole Male Voice Choir.
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4)—319.1 Metres.
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30—Stage Reminiscences: Frank
ig; Seamus O Duirinne; Frank
d, supported by Miss Dorothy
Haviland Jackson: "The Jail
egory). 8.15—Maighread Nic
in Ghaedhilge: "Casadh an
a na Cairrige baine." "Reis
se do bheatha abhaile" (Clan-
tite O'Hara (violin) and Mrs.
Sonata in G Major (Brahms),
ston (soprano): "Prayer to Our
Solveig's Song" (Greig). "Sun-
10—Dr. W. Starkie, Illustrated
Musical Composers. 9.40—
(soprano): "Romance" (De-
al" (Chaminade), "Aimons
es), 'Chanson Norvegienne"
ination" (Fontanailles). 9.55—
rry O'Donovan. 10.10—Treasa
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Salamance and Scotch Mary;
h an ghleanna. 10.25—Station
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dy Brown and his Xylophone,
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Band. 5.45—Children. 6.30—
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City of Birmingham Police Band,
(soprano). 8.0—Two Short
hel Malpas, from Birmingham.
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Cranmer (baritone), the Old
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IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENTS IN THE SENATE.

NEW METHOD OF ASSESSING INCOME TAX.

RELIEF FOR "FLAPPER" RACE MEETINGS.

Mr. T. WESTROPP BENNETT, Deputy Chairman, presided at the meeting of the Irish Free State Senate yesterday.

FORESTRY BILL.

The debate on the second reading of the Forestry Bill was resumed.

Mr. T. W. KENNY approved of the bill in a general way, because it would have the effect of preserving the trees in the country, but he urged that if a man who owned trees wished to cut them down, and was not allowed to do so, he ought to be given the right to seek compensation for the intervention on the part of the Government department.

Mr. HOGAN, Minister for Agriculture, in explaining the objects of the bill, said that it was admitted that there must be some limit to the felling of trees in this country. The quantity of timber in this country was one per cent., while it was twenty per cent. elsewhere. He knew of no other way of preventing the cutting down of trees than that of giving someone the necessary power, and there was no more suitable body for that purpose than the Department of Agriculture.

MINISTER'S SUGGESTION.

They might be more successful in the matter of preventing wanton cutting under this bill for the reason that they could not interpret the bill strictly, as it would mean flooding the country with inspectors, but from the felling notices for which provision was made in the bill they would receive information which they had never had before. He would like the House to give the bill a second reading, and, if necessary, they could postpone it until the autumn, by which time Senators would thoroughly understand the bill.

Sir WALTER NUGENT said that he hoped the bill would not be postponed, as, in his opinion, it was a very necessary measure. He hoped the bill would be put into operation speedily.

Mr. HAUGHTON said that the bill would not only be welcomed by those in the saw milling trade, but also by the country generally. He objected to the criticism directed towards the trade as if they were engaged in wanton cutting of trees. It was not wanton cutting, but cutting for a purpose. He thought that there should be remission of taxation for farmers who planted their lands with trees. He suggested that the question of orchards should be borne in mind.

Sir NUGENT EVERARD, having suggested certain variations in the detail of the bill,

The second reading was carried.

The further consideration of the bill was postponed to the autumn session.

The committee stages of the Slaughtered Animals (Compensation) Bill and Telegraph Bill were passed without discussion.

GAS REGULATION BILL.

On the report stage of the Gas Regulation Bill,

Mr. BROWN, K.C., moved, on behalf of Mr. Douglas, the deletion of sub-section 2 of Section 5, and the substitution for it of the following new sub-section:—"Every buyer of gas, after the expiration of nine years, shall have the right to demand of the (gas) undertaking that the meter, by means of which such gas is measured, shall be re-stamped according to law after the expiration of ten years from the last occasion on which it was duly stamped."

Mr. McGILLIGAN, Minsifer for Industry and Commerce, said that the bill had been fully discussed, and in a non-party spirit, by the Dail, all the members of which were of opinion that every meter, whether questioned or not, should be tested and stamped every ten years. The Dail was alive to the situation which the present amendment was designed to meet, but the deputies held that if such amendment were carried it would mean that, unless the consumer was sufficiently alive to his own interests, and willing to risk some expense, he might have a faulty meter for many years. On examination of the existing situation it would be found that the amendment which he intended to move—making examination compulsory every ten years—was merely making obligatory what was the general practice amongst all the best gas companies—in fact, all the best companies had their meters tested in a period somewhat less than ten years.

The amendment was rejected.

TESTING OF METERS.

Mr. McGILLIGAN then moved his amendment, which was in the following terms:—

"(1) A buyer of gas supplied by means of a meter installed on premises in an area in which the jurisdiction conferred by the Act of 1859 is for the time being not exercisable may, unless such meter has been stamped by a special inspector of meters under Section 6 (which relates to the stamping of meters in areas in which the Act of 1859 is not in force) of this Act, by notice in writing require the person by whom such gas is so supplied to remove such meter from such premises and procure the same to be tested by an inspector of meters appointed by a local authority under the Act of 1859, and, if found correct, to be stamped under that Act, as amended by this Act accordingly.

"(2) If on the testing of a meter pursuant to a requisition under this section such meter is found to be correct the expenses of the removal, testing and stamping of such meter pursuant to such requisition shall be borne by the buyer by whom such requisition was made, and in every other case such expenses shall be borne by the person on whom such requisition is made."

The amendment was agreed to, and the report stage of the bill was passed.

AN INCOME TAX INNOVATION.

ASSESSMENT ON PREVIOUS YEAR'S ACTUAL INCOME.

The Committee stage of the Finance Bill was taken, and

Mr. LINEHAN moved to insert a new clause as follows:—"The annual value of lands which were previously subject to a purchase annuity payable under the Land Purchase (Ireland) Acts or any of them, but which annuity has since been redeemed, shall for the purposes of Schedule B be taken to be the first or original annuity payable before redemption, if such original annuity is less than the Poor Law Valuation."

The object of the clause was, he said, to place tenants who had redeemed their annuities in the same position as they were in before the redemption, because the income from the farm had not changed after the redemption. In the present state of the law, when the purchase money had been redeemed the assessment for income tax was increased from the figure of the annuity to that of the Poor Law valuation, which, in most cases, was a considerable increase, and, that being so, it would deter the farmer from redeeming the purchase money. He thought that it would be for the benefit of the country if his recommendation were adopted.

Mr. BLYTHE, Minister for Finance, said that in practice the recommendation would give a farmer who had redeemed his annuity an advantage over his neighbour, and he did not think that it would work out satisfactorily in assessing the tax.

Mr. LINEHAN withdrew his amendment.

Sir JOHN KEANE moved a recommendation that "Income tax for any year shall be assessed upon the actual income accruing in the previous year." He said that in Great Britain the three-years' average had been dropped, and the method he now recommended had been adopted. There was a demand from the taxpayer here that this should be done, as the present method was very inconvenient to the taxpayer. It was difficult for most taxpayers to state in advance what their income would be, and it was largely a matter of guesswork. In cases of double income tax, the whole matter had to be reopened at the end of the year. He urged that his amendment would save a good deal of work in the Revenue Department.

BUSINESSES DESTROYED.

Mr. DOWDALL said that if this were adopted allowance should be be made for businesses that had been destroyed in recent years and which had been resumed only a year or two ago.

The MINISTER for FINANCE said that the Government's view was that the change made in Great Britain was on the whole a desirable change, and their intention was to follow it. Whether they would do that simply, or try and accompany it with further changes, he was not yet in a position to say. If they had an opportunity of putting an experienced staff on to the work of revision of the whole code of income tax he believed they could simplify it considerably. He hoped to start the revision this year, but how soon they could make substantial changes he could not say at the moment.

He appreciated the point made by Mr. Dowdall, but the Senator would realise the difficulty of making the allowance he suggested. Such a change would be found to affect some businesses adversely. If they were going to make the change it would have to be made in a year when all the indications pointed to the likelihood of being able to make it smoothly.

Mr. DOWDALL said that he would refer the Minister to the specific case of the Gresham Hotel, which, he said, had resulted in heavy interest charges after its burning on the amount borrowed to re-establish it. Yet the Minister coolly proposed—when he had insisted on the three years' period when the business was down and out—that it should come into the general pool and have no exemption made for income tax in the future. That was not only injustice, but robbery.

The amendment was withdrawn.

Sir JOHN KEANE moved a new section: "In no case shall both super-tax and sur-tax be charged on the income of one and the same year." He said that he would like to have an explanation from the Minister as to how this thing was going to work.

The Minister said that sur-tax was chargeable in exactly the same way as super-tax.

Sir JOHN KEANE withdrew his amendment.

MEDICATED WINES.

MR. BLYTHE TALKS OF A POSSIBLE BAN.

Mr. MacKEAN moved together two amendments to Section 22, by which he sought to substitute the words "rectified and medicated wines" for the word "wine" as a subject of duty on importation, and that "five shillings" instead of "one shilling" be the rate of duty per gallon on articles containing sugar or other sweetening matter.

The mineral water industry, said Mr. MacKean, was in a very precarious position, and within twelve months five companies had amalgamated in order to cut overhead expenses, with the result that a number of employés with many years of faithful service had been dismissed. The imposition of the additional taxes proposed by him would be of the greatest assistance.

Mr. BLYTHE, replying, said that he was unable to connect the case of medicated wines with home industry. As for mineral waters, they enjoyed already a protection amounting to between 3d. and 4d. a gallon. He would not be inclined to increase that. A case might be made for prohibition of the sale or importation of medicated wines, since, in this connection, there were opportunities for fraud, wines being represented to possess properties which, in fact, they did not possess.

He did not know whether the medical profession would take that view, but it was a point whether the importation of these medicated wines might not be stopped either as a matter of public health or to save the public from paying excessive prices. That, however, would bring them up against the whole difficulty of patent medicines, and the question really did not arise on the Finance Bill; it should be considered in connection with public health.

Mr. MacKean withdrew his amendments.

ENTERTAINMENT TAX.

REMISSION ON "FLAPPER" RACE MEETINGS.

Mr. J. T. O'Farrell moved an amendment proposing the abolition of the entertainment tax on what are known as "flapper" race meetings. The tax on "flapper" meetings, he said, amounted only to about £100 every year, and really did not pay for the cost of its collection.

Mr. Blythe amilingly announced that he found himself in the position of asking the Senate to accept a proposal which, on his advice, the Dail had rejected. It was true that the amount obtained from this tax was trifling, and he would ask the Senate to accept Mr. O'Farrell's amendment. This would enable him to ask the Dail to reconsider its decision.

The amendment was unanimously accepted.

The Committee stage of the bill was agreed to without a division.

DENTISTS BILL PASSED.

On the Report Stage of the Dentists Bill, Mr. McGilligan, the Minister in charge of the measure, moved a new section providing that Section 28 (2) shall apply to any person who was a citizen of the Free State on the 1st January, 1923; was 21 years old on 31st December, 1921; earned his living by dentistry in the Free State for seven years preceding the passage of the Act (as a dental mechanic or otherwise); and had not been guilty of conduct which would have caused a registered dentist to be removed from the register. The new section also sets out the examinations to be passed and makes other regulations.

The section was agreed to, and a few consequential amendments were passed without discussion.

On the motion of Mr. O'Hanlon, seconded by Mr. J. T. O'Farrell, the Standing Orders were suspended to enable the fifth stage to be taken, and the bill was passed.

The House adjourned until 3 p.m. on Tuesday next.

TYRONE ORANGEMEN.

INDEPENDENT UNIONISTS CRITICISED.

Mr. Rowley Elliott, M.P., and Mr. J. C. Crossle, County Grand Master of Tyrone Orangemen, had some caustic things to say about Independent Unionists at the opening of an Orange Hall at Glenageragh, near Augher, on Tuesday evening.

Mr. Elliott said that if they were to judge by the records of Independents in the Northern House of Commons, where on almost every occasion they were in the Opposition lobby with the Socialists and Nationalists, they failed to see where their independence came in, as one had either to be on the side of the Government or against it. They could have in their Northern Parliament only those in sympathy with, and those opposed to, the Government. He had no love for Independents, as an Independent was a person in whom no one could have any dependence whatever.

Mr. Crossle said that the Independent Unionist was a person independent of Unionism, and who invariably voted with the other side. He appealed to the Orangemen not to pay any attention to those—some of whom, unfortunately, were in their ranks—who advocated Independent Unionism.

INCORPORATED ORTHOPÆDIC HOSPITAL OF IRELAND.

A meeting of the House and Finance Committee of the Orthopædic Hospital was held at 22 Upper Merrion street, on the 4th inst. The Chairman, F. J. O'Neill, Esq., presided. Also present:—Captain R. French, G. S. Green, Esq.; John A. Murphy, Esq.

The routine business was transacted, and cheques amounting to £326 13s. 4d. were signed in payment of accounts.

The number of patients in the hospital on the 30th June was 65, and the daily average during the month, 60.

The Governors gratefully acknowledge the following subscriptions and donations:—The Carlow Milk Depôt, for the County Carlow Cot, £7 10s. 0d.; Mrs. Edmund Waller, £5; Miss Sykes, £3; Messrs. Leverett and Frye, Messrs. W. and A. Gilbey, H. R. Poole, Esq., £2 2s. 0d. each; Mrs. E. W. Moloney, Miss Simpson, £2 each; Mrs. Moyna, £1 1s. 0d.; Mrs. M. T. Moses, the Misses Longfield, Mrs. Mooney, £1 each; Mrs. Greville, 10s.; the Misses Wade, 10s.

The Matron thanks for the following kind gifts: Home-made marmalade, Mrs. Johnston, Terenure. Surgical boots, Miss Overend. Scrap-book, Miss M. F. Carroll. Flowers, Children's Service, St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Bray; the Abbey Street Presbyterian Church, Mrs. Cusack, Abbeville. Rhubarb, Mrs. Darley, Fernhill; Anonymous. Illustrated papers, Mrs. Dermod O'Brien. Messrs. Eason and Son.

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IN THE NORTHERN CAPITAL.

Ireland and the Olympic Games: The Quarrel about a Flag: Northern Swimmers' Decision: The Unemployed: A Surprising Circumstance.

(FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.)

BELFAST, Thursday.

AN unpleasant situation has arisen in connection with the Irish arrangements for the forthcoming Olympic Games at Amsterdam. The Northern athletes refuse to compete under the Free State flag, which is the symbol chosen to represent all Ireland. Even in sport they will not march under the tri colour, and no doubt they have a grievance which, however, seems to have been unavoidable. The difficulty is that the Southern flag is the only official Irish national emblem, and the Northerners in such a case are like orphans left out in the cold. Their flag is the Union Jack, but they are not permitted to share the glory of its folds in international competitions because they are Irishmen, and Englishmen and Scotsmen will uphold its honour. The difference of opinion that exists is very serious, and it may be that the Ulster representatives will retire altogether from the contests. It was suggested some time ago that the ancient flag of Ireland should have been substituted for the tricolour, but nothing came of it. The subject was discussed at a meeting of the District Council of the I.A.S.A., in Belfast, at the beginning of the week, and it was proposed that the Ulster swimmers withdraw from the trials altogether if the flag question is not satisfactorily settled. It appeared in this connection that the Irish Olympic Council had been approached for information, but it was stated by the secretary that there had been significant silence in Dublin and he was not hopeful as to the result.

THE NORTH OFFENDED.

Umbrage has been taken also at a letter received from Dr. Beckett, of Dublin, one of the selectors. Relative to the selection of a water polo team to represent Ireland, he wrote suggesting that, with the agreement of the Ulster selectors, he should nominate, say, ten Leinster players; or, if that were too many, one goalkeeper and eight "out" players, to take part in the final trial at the Belfast Waterworks on Saturday afternoon next, while the Ulster selectors should nominate their own men for the other positions. That was bad enough, but as usual the real sting was in the tail. "In view of the marked superiority our men have always shown in open water," Dr. Beckett went on to say, "I do not think that this can be regarded as an unfair or unreasonable division," adding that they must have open water players for the Olympic matches, and that it was futile to select men on their form in the indoor baths. Dr. Beckett's plain speaking was strongly resented, and Mr. J. Goss, the vice-president, said that the whole position was very disappointing, and it seemed to him that the claims of the Ulster swimmers were being deliberately shelved. Personally, he looked upon that letter as an insult to the district. After some further discussion, in which Northern superiority over Southern rivals was asserted, it was decided to select seven polo players, and four swimmers for each of the racing events to represent Ulster, and to leave the Leinster section to make a similar selection. It was also understood that if the flag problem cannot be solved, the Northern representatives will be withdrawn. The trials at Belfast Waterworks on Saturday should be of more than usual interest.

PROSPERITY IN DIFFICULTIES.

It would appear, from a statement made at the last meeting of Belfast Corporation, that the tramways undertaking is by no means in the hopeless condition it was imagined to be, and that instead of being worked at a loss, it has been earning a substantial profit. There have been times of panic when even members of the Tramways Committee ran about saying that they were losing £500 per week, but it seems that when both lean and fat periods are considered, the overplus of credit is very considerable. Moreover, there is a certain element in Belfast which thinks that the Corporation can do no good and magnifies every fault. Councillor Malcolm, who drew attention to the matter, quoted from the financial report, and said that the trams still continued to pay their way very satisfactorily and to place a reasonable amount to the reserve account. During the past three years, he said, a profit of £60,800 had been earned, while the undertaking had paid over to the Electricity Department during the same period the huge sum of £186,556.

A proposal has been put forward to revise the fares, lengthen the stages, and improve the service, while special steps are being taken to cope with 'bus competition. A somewhat Gilbertian situation has developed in connection with Bellevue, the beautiful mountain garden at Cavehill. The Tramway Committee engages well-known cross-Channel and local bands to attract visitors during their performances on the plateau, so that the tramway service there may prosper and fill the municipal coffers; but the 'buses are "nipping" in and capturing a large share of the increased traffic encouraged by the enterprise of the Corporation. Measures are to be taken by the Council to combat this kind of competition, which, after all, must be galling to those who pay the piper. Much is expected from the new manager, Mr. William Chamberlain, and it is hoped that he will repeat in Belfast the remarkable success he achieved with the Leeds tramways undertaking.

ABUSE FOR INDEPENDENTS.

The unfortunate Independent Unionists are once more coming in for a share of that abuse which continued usage has made, as it were, their right. The County Tyrone Orangemen have not always been too friendly with the Government, but the Grand Master the other day spoke in condemnation of Independent Unionism as tending to promote a policy which would lead to the handing over of the Government of Northern Ireland to the Separatists. The season is favourable for this kind of talk, and when the fever of next week is passed everyone will be more charitable in his opinions. Even Mr. Rowley Elliott, M.P., one of the mildest-mannered of men, declared at the same meeting that an Independent was one in whom no dependence could be placed whatever. He evidently claims all the virtues for the official Unionists; for he advises everyone to vote for no candidate who is not officially appointed as a standard-bearer for the party in power. How is it that a man who has the courage to express an independent political opinion becomes anathema with those in high places? A noticeable feature is that no references are being made to the Ulster Liberal Party, which, of course, cannot be accused of disloyalty to the Empire or a desire to unite with the Free State; yet it is probably in this direction that much of the danger will lie.

SURPRISING CIRCUMSTANCE.

Since the beginning of the year the unemployment figures in Northern Ireland have increased by many thousands, and it, therefore, seems strange that various schemes already approved of by the Ministry of Labour have not yet been put into operation. This rather surprising circumstance came to light at the meeting of the Corporation this week, when a letter was read from the Ministry asking that the schemes referred to be expedited as much as possible with a view to relieving unemployment in the city. The Lord Mayor mentioned that he had been speaking to Mr. Andrews, the Minister of Labour, who had urged on him the importance of getting approved projects started without delay, but the official answer was that everything that was possible was being done in the circumstances, while several councillors obscured the issue by declaring that the Ministry of Labour should carry out these schemes, and not the Corporation. That is, in this particular case, only so much foolish talk. The essential point is that these schemes have been passed, and it is the duty of the Council to get them under way with the utmost despatch.

According to Mr. Andrews, work has been provided for men who are crying out for employment, but cannot get it. If the system of organisation requires to be strengthened, then let it be done. It seems almost incredible that bread should be within reach of workless men, but that through some reason or another they are not allowed to earn it, and Mr. Andrew's reminder was badly needed. Councillor Thomas Henderson, M.P., blamed the Government for putting such work on the shoulders of the Council, and said that the Ministry would never mend its method in that respect so long as the Board of Guardians could get men to work at Whitewell for four coupons a week—a system he has frequently condemned as "slavery." It would be more in keeping with sensible administration if he and his colleagues made the most of the opportunities at their disposal.

GREENOCK-BUILT TUG FOR BELFAST

It was intimated at the meeting of the Belfast Harbour Commissioners on Tuesday last that a tug which is being built for the Board by Messrs. George Brown and Co., of Greenock, to replace the steam tug Lagan, is now ready for launching. This statement has caused a good deal of comment, as the general public are ignorant of the reasons responsible for sending away an order when work was so urgently needed in Belfast. The great "Queen's Island" is only across the river from the Harbour offices, and one would have thought that an arrangement might have been made to have the tug built at home. On the other hand, the Commissioners have done all in their power to provide employment by putting relief schemes into operation, by the reclaiming of lands and by improvements generally along the quays perfecting their property, and providing the additional accommodation required for the ever-increasing traffic of the port. The new tug is to be named after Mrs. R. E. Herdman, wife of the Chairman of the Commissioners.

THE GLORY OF LANGUAGE.

The proceedings of Belfast Corporation are frequently enlivened by the picturesque speeches of Councillor Pierce, the Independent Unionist member for Mountpottinger. These incidents stand out in pleasant contrast to the acrimonious discussions which frequently resound throughout the council chamber, and they show that this councillor has a wonderful gift of eloquence and language. Speaking at the last meeting of the Council, he reduced his opponents to a state of helplessness by the following brilliant verbal shaft:—"If the volume of oratory from the melting pot of my psychological storehouse of knowledge has overcome and clouded the perceptions of the elementary minds of some in this house——" the remainder of the sentence was lost in a storm of hilarity. The coveted quality of imagination in Northern Ireland has by no means disappeared.

QUESTIONS IN THE DAIL.

LEGISLATION TO DEAL WITH TOWN TENANTS.

In Dail Eireann yesterday,

President COSGRAVE, answering Mr. A. Byrne (Independent, Dublin North), said that no decision had yet been reached as to the precise nature of the legislation which would be promoted by the Government to deal with town tenants. It was the definite intention of the Government to introduce legislation of the kind, but he could not at that stage indicate when the appropriate bill was likely to be ready.

Mr. BYRNE asked the President if anything could be done to prevent the landlords of small shops taking steps now to evict the tenants, so that they would not get the benefit of the proposed legislation as a result of the report of the Town Tenants' Commission.

President COSGRAVE said that if the deputy would communicate with him he would consider what could be done.

RAID IN MARLBOROUGH ROAD.

Mr. LEMASS (F.F., Dublin City) asked the Minister for Justice whether Mr. Peadar O'Donnell's office at 39 Marlborough road was raided and searched by members of the Civic Guard on the previous day; what was the object of the raid, and whether anything incriminating was found as a result of the search?

The MINISTER for JUSTICE said that the house, 39 Marlborough road, had been raided and searched on the previous day on a warrant, and the object was to search for treasonable documents, which were suspected to be on the premises.

Mr. DE VALERA said that it was obvious that this was a case of persecution. Surely a man searched 14 times for documents would not carry them around.

The MINISTER—There may not always be an opportunity of getting rid of documents.

RELIEF SCHEMES.

Answering Mr. A. J. Cassidy (Lab., Donegal),

President COSGRAVE said that it was not proposed to introduce a supplementary estimate for relief schemes prior to the adjournment of the Dail for the summer recess.

On the adjournment, Mr. CASSIDY raised the matter again.

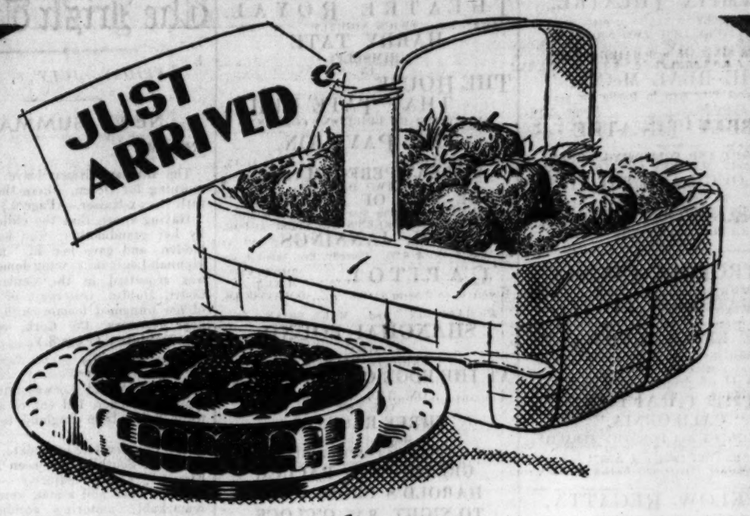
The MINISTER FOR FINANCE said that it was impossible to deal with the problem of unemployment by relief schemes which were not productive. At the best they only touched the fringe, and were purely temporary palliatives. Additional taxation for relief would create further unemployment. Something better could be done by definite schemes of construction, such as expenditure on housing, drainage, roads, and other schemes. It would be better if they had more attention given by all deputies to the thinking-out of constructive schemes. He did not know if anything would come out of the Housing Conference, but in any case they would have a housing bill in the autumn, which would contemplate a longer programme than any of those yet introduced.

Mr. MORRISSEY (Lab., Tipperary) asked would it be possible to introduce the bill before the Recess, so that people might be making preparations.

Mr. BLYTHE did not think they could, because they had to consider the scale of subsidies. In order that the money might go further they wanted to go carefully into what was the least subsidy that would cause building operations to be continued.

DAME GRACE PONTIFEX'S WILL.

Dame Grace Pontifex, who died in London on January 30th last, widow of Sir Charles Pontifex, and daughter of Mr. James Cooper, of Cooper Hill, Clarina, County Limerick, left unsettled estate of the value of £35,531, with net personalty £35,177. She left £50 to the Distressed Irish Ladies' Fund.



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DESTROYED CASTLE IN KERRY.

AWARD TO BE SPENT IN DUBLIN.

How a compensation award in respect of the destruction of a castle in County Kerry is to be utilised to build houses in Dublin, is outlined in a report which will be submitted by Dr. Dwyer, Dublin City Commissioner, to a meeting of the Commissioners to-morrow.

It is pointed out in the report that under the Damage to Property (Compensation) Act, 1923, an award of £24,958 10s. has been made in respect of the destruction of Derryquin Castle, County Kerry, subject to a partial reinstatement clause in pursuance of Section 10 of the Act.

"Colonel Warden, the owner of Derryquin Castle," says Dr. O'Dwyer in his report, "approached the Corporation of Dublin with a view to disposing of his interest in the award. With the object of applying it to the erection of houses on the Marino and Croydon Park Housing Area, I offered to purchase the award for the sum of £18,968 10s., and Colonel Warden has accepted this offer.

"An order has been obtained from the Circuit Court Judge in Tralee, authorising the amount of the award to be expended on the erection of not less than twenty-six residential houses on sites on Griffith avenue, Clontarf, or on other sites associated with the Marino and Croydon Park Housing Scheme."

It is added that the Minister for Local Government and Public Health has given his approval to the purchase of the award on the terms arranged.

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

The Dublin Presbytery met on Tuesday evening in the Church House, the Moderator, the Rev. Dr. McKee, presiding.

Mr. Gordon Clements introduced the question of establishing a Choral Union, composed of the choirs of the churches in the city and suburbs. The idea was welcomed, and it was decided to call a conference of the organists and precentors to consider the matter and submit a report to the October meeting of the Presbytery.

The report of the Presbytery's City Mission was submitted by Mr. Morrow, in the absence of the convener, and showed that the work in both North Strand and Whitefriars street had been carried on with success.

THE CRIME OF PERJURY.

DENOUNCED BY DISTRICT JUSTICE.

At Drumkeeran (Co. Leitrim) District Court, the Guards made reports on cases which had been previously brought before the Court by them, and in which the defendants made certain excuses.

Justice Rice dealing with one case where a woman was involved said:—"Perjury of the grossest kind has been committed in connection with this case, so gross as to appal me in the contemplation of it. Because, evil as is this crime when committed by a man, it is equally evil, but far more loathsome when a woman is the criminal. Personally, I would prefer, much prefer a woman abandoned to the sad and unhappy fate of the streets to a woman who deliberately attempts to ruin her neighbour by wilful perjury in the witness box. The one sins in darkness and in secrecy; the other blazons forth her sin before the world, and calls upon God to witness it. The one is human and deserves commiseration and forgiveness; the other is satanic and deserves neither."

"My remarks," he concluded, "though strong, are not strong enough for the infamous crime to which I allude."

Ronald Calver, aged 16, of Saxmundham, was drowned while bathing at Sizewell (Suffolk) yesterday with his schoolmates, one of whom nearly lost his life in a rescue attempt.

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With TIM McCOY and DOROTHY SEBASTIN, 2.15, 4.40, 7.5, 9.30.
"THE WIZARD,"
With EDMUND LOWE and LEILA HYAMS, 3.15, 6.40, 8.5.

WICKLOW REGATTA,
BANK HOLIDAY,
MONDAY, AUGUST 6th, 1928.
In connection with above, the Committee invite Tenders from FANCY FAIRS AND ROUNDABOUTS, for use of The Murrough, for 10 Days. Tenders to be received not later than 11th July, marked "Fancy Fairs," and addressed "Chairman, Regatta Committee, Wicklow."

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HORSE SHOW DANCES.
SATURDAY, 4th August: GRAND OPENING NIGHT. Irish Cricket Union Dance, 8.30 p.m. to 1 a.m. Admission 7/6
MONDAY, 6th August: CHARITY CARNIVAL DANCE. 9 p.m. to 3 a.m. Tickets, 17/6, including Supper (no wines).
TUESDAY, 7th August: GRAND SUBSCRIPTION BALL, in aid of the MERCER'S STREET and DROGHEDA COTTAGE HOSPITALS. 10 p.m. to 4 a.m. Tickets, 30/-, including Champagne Supper in Supper Room. Charge for reservation of tables in the Ballroom as follows:—4 persons, 5/-; 6 persons, 7/6; 8 persons, 10/-.
WEDNESDAY, 8th August: UNITED ARTS BALL, 10 p.m. to 4 a.m. Tickets, 17/6, including Supper in Supper Room.
THURSDAY, 9th August: QUEEN VICTORIA JUBILEE NURSES' DANCE. 10 p.m. to 4 a.m. Tickets, 30/-, including Champagne Supper in Supper Room. Charge for reservation of tables in the Ballroom:—4 persons, 5/-; 6 persons, 7/6; 8 persons, 10/-.
FRIDAY, 10th August: BRITISH LEGION BALL, 10 p.m. to 4 a.m. Tickets, 1 Guinea each, including Supper.
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Refreshments served in the Ballroom are not included in the Supper Tickets.
Bookings for Dances for the coming Winter Season are now being made. Terms on application to the Manageress.

GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.
POSITION VACANT—PHARMACIST.
The Civil Service Commissioners invite applications from duly qualified Pharmaceutical Chemists or Licentiates of the Apothecaries Hall for the part-time, non-pensionable post of Pharmacist under the Department of Local Government and Public Health. Inclusive salary, £250 per annum. Candidates must have had experience in the ordering, checking and custody of stocks of medicines and medical and surgical appliances in an institution such as a large Public or Military Hospital or with a Wholesale Manufacturing or Supply Firm. Latest date for receiving applications is 20th July, 1928. Forms and particulars may be obtained from the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, 33 St. Stephen's Green, Dublin, C.2.
24/8. 5308. W.H.Co.

LOCAL APPOINTMENTS COMMISSION.
POSITION VACANT—VISITING SURGEON-DENTIST.
The Local Appointments Commissioners invite applications for the part-time, permanent, non-pensionable position of Visiting Surgeon-Dentist (Registered) to Grangegorman and Portrane Mental Hospitals. Salary £100 a year, and rail fare to Portrane. Latest date for receiving applications, 20th July, 1928. Application Forms and particulars may be obtained from the Secretary, Local Appointments Commission, 35 St. Stephen's Green, Dublin, C.2.
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LOCAL APPOINTMENTS COMMISSION.
POSITION VACANT—SUPERINTENDENT ASSISTANCE OFFICER.
The Local Appointments Commissioners invite Applications for the whole-time, pensionable position of Superintendent Assistance Officer and Superintendent and Checker of Rent Collection under Labourers Acts, Co. Monaghan. Salary, £250 a year. Good general education required. Age limits, 25 to 50 years. Latest date for receiving applications, 20th July, 1928. Application Forms and particulars may be obtained from The Secretary, Local Appointments Commission, 35 St. Stephen's Green, Dublin, C.2.
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COIMISIUN UM STAT-SHEIRBHIS.
LEARNERSHIPS IN THE POST OFFICE.
An Open Competitive Examination will be held on 22nd October, 1928, for not less than 28 vacancies as Learners (11 Male and 17 Female). Successful candidates will be trained with a view to appointment as Post Office Assistants.
Age limits: 15 to 17 on 1st October, 1928.
Standard of Examination: Seventh Standard, Primary Schools.
Latest date for entry: 18th August, 1928.
Regulations and Application Forms may be obtained free from
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(DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE).
LIVE STOCK BREEDING ACT, 1925.
LICENSING OF BULLS.
Notice is hereby given that all Bulls calved in the months of July, August, September, October, November and December, 1927, will reach the prescribed age of 30th September, 1928. Applications (accompanied by fee of 5/-) for licences to keep bulls calved in the months mentioned above should be lodged at once with the Secretary, Department of Agriculture, Government Buildings, Dublin (C. 17). Applications received after 31st July, 1928, will be subject to additional fees. Forms of application and lists of inspection centres may be had at all Post Offices and Garda Siochana Stations, or from the Secretaries to County Committees of Agriculture. Persons having bulls of the prescribed age in their possession without a licence are liable to prosecution, and, on conviction, to a penalty of £20.
23/8.5245. W.H.Co.

NOTICE.
Mr. THOMAS KEE, Auctioneer, of BALLYBOFEY, has been instructed by the Irish Land Commission to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, at his Office, MARKET PLACE, BALLYBOFEY, on WEDNESDAY, 18th JULY, 1928, at 1 o'clock, that PART OF THE LANDS OF DOOISH, containing 15 acres 1 rood and 10 perches, or thereabouts, Statute measure, comprised in Folio No. 4939, Barony of Raphoe South and County of Donegal, now or formerly in the occupation of Bernard Doherty, held in fee-simple, subject to a Land Purchase annuity of £4 3/10, payable by half-yearly instalments of £2 1/11. The sporting rights are reserved as in said Folio set forth. The Lands will be Sold subject, in so far as the same are legally affected thereby, to any tenancy thereon. For conditions of Sale apply to the Auctioneer; or to HENRY M. P. HARE, Solicitor to the Irish Land Commission, 21 Upper Merrion street, Dublin.
23/8.5229. W.H.Co.

NOTICE.
Mr. MARTIN McGETTRICK, Auctioneer, of BALLYMOTE, has been instructed by the Irish Land Commission to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, at the COURTHOUSE, BALLYMOTE, on WEDNESDAY, 18th JULY, 1928, at one o'clock, those PARTS OF THE LANDS OF KNOCKREENAGHER, containing 44 acres 3 roods and 28 perches, or thereabouts, Statute measure, comprised in Folio No. 4925, Barony of Tirerill and County of Sligo, now or formerly in the occupation of Michael Cogan, held in fee-simple, subject to a Land Purchase annuity of £14 18/2, payable by half-yearly instalments of £7 9/1. The Lands will be Sold subject, in so far as the same are legally affected thereby, to any tenancy thereon. For conditions of Sale apply to the Auctioneer; or to HENRY M. P. HARE, Solicitor to the Irish Land Commission, 21 Upper Merrion street, Dublin.
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PUBLIC NOTICES.

REGISTRATION OF CLUBS (IRELAND) ACT, 1904, 4 Edw. 7, Ch. 9, and INTOXICATING LIQUOR ACT, 1927.
TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.
Take Notice that I intend to apply to the Justice sitting at Bray District Court on 27th July, 1928, for a Certificate of Registration for the Delgany Golf Club, under the provisions of the above quoted Acts. The object of the Club is the promoting of Golf in the locality.
The address of the Club is Delgany, County Wicklow.
Dated 3rd July, 1928.
E. BARRY, Secretary.

REGISTRATION OF CLUBS ACT (IRELAND), 1904.
TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.
Take Notice that I intend to apply to the Registrar of Clubs for the Bray District for a Renewal of the Certificate of Registration under the above Act of the County Wicklow Lawn Tennis Club, Bray.
D. W. S. COLQUHOUN,
Hon. Secretary.
6th July, 1928.

ALCOHOLISM.
THE LEYFIELD TREATMENT.
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CONTRACTS.

TO BUILDERS.
Tenders are invited from competent Builders for NEW STONE-BUILT ENTRANCE TO THE NEW CHURCH, KILLANNY, near Carrickmacross, for the Rev. T. Brenan, P.P.
Drawings and specification may be inspected at the Parochial House, Ballymackney, Dundalk, and at the Offices of the Architect.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
R. M. BUTLER, F.R.I.B.A., Architect,
25 Kildare street, Dublin.
3rd July, 1928. K.4.4.

WIRELESS TELEGRAPHY.

BIG AMERICAN SCHEME.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.
NEW YORK, Thursday.
It was reported in financial circles to-day that the American Telephone and Telegraph Company and the Radio Corporation are contemplating a scheme to link up the important cities of the United States with the new system of wireless telephony and telegraph service of the beam type, and that the new service is expected to be in use within a year.
It is understood that the Radio Corporation has already placed orders for new equipment.

WEATHER FORECAST

General Inference.—A depression centred off North-West Scotland is moving slowly east-north-east, and becoming less deep. Winds will be westerly and weather showery, but with considerable bright intervals.
Ireland, North-West, North-East.—Winds south-west to west or north-west, fresh to strong at times; bright periods, but occasional local thundery showers; moderate temperature.
Ireland, South-East, South-West.—Wind south-west to west, mainly moderate to fresh; occasional rain, then bright and showery periods; moderate temperature.
Irish Sea, crossings from Holyhead, Heysham and Stranraer, Glasgow, Ardrossan and Liverpool; St. George's Channel, crossing from Fishguard.—Westerly winds, fresh locally; showery and bright intervals; visibility mainly moderate to good, but some local mist at first; sea slight to moderate.

Dixon and Hempenstall Barometers and Thermometers. 12 Suffolk street, Dublin.—(Advt.)

DUBLIN WEATHER REPORT.

June	Bar.	Thermometer. Temp. 10 p.m.	Max.	Min.	Grass Min.	Wind.	Rain, m.m.	Sun hour
30	30.018	53.4	63	50	49	W.	2.4	10.7
1	29.836	60.5	61	51	48	W.	4.3	1.0
2	30.016	57.0	66	53	50	W.	Trace	11.5
3	30.070	55.0	64	49	47	W.	2.1	7.5
4	29.828	58.0	63	51	48	S.W.	2.2	5.1
5	29.766	58.0	65	55	56	W.	3.2	3.7

THE SUN.
To-day....Rises ... 5. 5 Sets. 9.54
To-morrow... ,, ... 5. 6 ,, ... 9.53
Lighting-up Time 10.55

HIGH WATER—DUBLIN.
To-day.....Morning 2.16 Afternoon 2.37
To-morrow... ,, ... 2.58 ,, ... 3.19

NEW HIGH COMMISSIONER FOR PALESTINE.

LIEUTENANT-COLONEL J. R. CHANCELLOR.

It is officially announced that the King has approved the appointment of Sir John Robert Chancellor, G.C.M.G., G.C.V.O., D.S.O., to be His Majesty's High Commissioner and Commander-in-Chief for Palestine, and High Commissioner for Trans-Jordan, in the place of Field-Marshal Lord Plumer, G.C.B., G.C.M.G., G.C.V.O., G.B.E., whose tenure of these offices shortly will cease.
Lieutenant-Colonel Sir John Robert Chancellor has been Governor and Commander-in-Chief of Southern Rhodesia since 1923. He entered the Royal Engineers from the Royal Military Academy, Woolwich, in 1890, and saw service in the Dongola expedition, 1896; the Tirah expedition, 1897 to 1898; was present at the captures of the Dargai Heights, of Sampagha Pass, and of Arhanga Pass, and took part in the operations in Bara Valley, 1897, being mentioned in despatches, and awarded the medal with three clasps and the D.S.O. In 1903 he was Staff Captain in the Intelligence Department of the War Office. He was appointed Assistant Military Secretary to the Committee of Imperial Defence in 1904, and Secretary to the Colonial Defence Committee in 1906, and he has been Governor and Commander-in-Chief of Mauritius, and of Trinidad and Tobago.

The Irish Times.

FRIDAY, JULY 6, 1928.

NEWS SUMMARY.

IRELAND.

The Bremen airmen leave Dublin this morning for Doorn, where they will dine with the ex-Kaiser.—(Page 9.)
Having sworn that the child was killed by her grandmother, who had the body hidden, and gave her £1 "not to tell," Hannah Lenihan, a young domestic servant, was acquitted in the Central Criminal Court, Dublin, yesterday, of the murder of her unnamed female child at Mintine, near Kanturk, Co. Cork, on the 18th January last.—(Page 8.)

GREAT BRITAIN

Captain Alfred Loewenstein, the well-known financier, fell out of an aeroplane while flying from England to Belgium.—(Page 7.)
The Conservative candidate, Commander A. R. J. Southby, has been returned for Epsom by a large majority.—(Page 6.)
Two women and a man were killed in a remarkable motoring accident on the Oxford-Faringdon road at Blackwater, Berkshire, yesterday evening. Their car ran into a wire hawser stretched across the road, and all of them were killed instantly.—(Page 8.)
The Press Association's Lobby Correspondent states that the members of the Savidge Tribunal have failed to compose their differences on the more important issues, and consequently majority and minority reports will be presented.—(Page 7.)

SPORTING.

At Bellewstown yesterday Orby's Beau won the Crockafotha Plate, Southern Witch the Leggan Hall Plate, Striped Silk the King's Plate, Lisworney the Stewards' Plate, Brushlight the Corporation Plate, and Bathoi the Shallon Plate.—(Page 12.)
At Newmarket Tourist won the Princess of Wales's Stakes.—(Page 12.)
At Carlisle Physic Ball won the Carlisle Bell.—(Page 12.)
At Worcester Bemax won the Midsummer Plate.—(Page 12.)

FINANCIAL.

London Stock Markets were overshadowed yesterday by the collapse of the International Holdings group on the death of Captain Loewenstein. The final prices showed some recovery from the lowest.—(Page 10.)
Money was comfortable in Lombard street at 3 per cent., and discount rates were steady.—(Page 11.)
In Dublin Guinness Shares were sold down to 40½, but on buying from London there was a sharp rise to 41½, with 42½ paid after hours. Bank of Ireland Stock was strong, and Dublin Trams rallied slightly.—(Page 10.)

A Council of Industry.

With a single dissentient—Mr. A. J. Cook—the Conference on Industrial Reorganisation and Industrial Relations in Great Britain has approved the report of a joint sub-committee on the work that has been done during the last six months. This conference came into being last January, when, on the initiative of Sir Alfred Mond (who is now Lord Melchett), certain representatives of British employers met representatives of organised labour with a view to the discovery of a plan to promote peace in industry. Lord Melchett secured the co-operation of several of his fellow-employers, acting in purely individual capacities, and a series of ten meetings was held. The Committee's report proposes the establishment of a National Industrial Council. This body would consist of the General Council of the Trade Union Congress, representing Labour, and delegates from the Federation of British Industries and the National Confederation of Employers' Organisations, representing the employers. The report suggests that this joint Council shall establish machinery for the prevention of industrial disputes under the direction of a Joint Standing Committee. It suggests, furthermore, that the Council shall meet at regular intervals "for general consultation." The Committee desires no interference with existing machinery for the regulation of disputes. On the contrary, it declares, this machinery ought to be strengthened with a view to the lightening of the National Industrial Council's work.
The reception of these proposals will be awaited anxiously. Lord Melchett and his colleagues have been acting entirely on their own responsibility. They represent many millions of pounds of invested capital; but hitherto neither the National Confederation of Employers' Organisations nor the Federation of British Industries has given any official sanction to the proceedings of the conference. We have little doubt, however, that, now that masters and men have arrived at an agreement, the employers' organisations will not hesitate to give it their blessing. They have everything to gain and nothing to lose by the hastening of industrial peace. If a National Industrial Council, with a standing Joint Committee, can be formed, a very big step will have been taken towards this end. It is true that compulsory arbitration is impossible. If the members of any particular industry resolve to have a fight, they will have it, despite the Industrial Council, however strong it may be; but the value of such an organisation lies in the element of delay that it involves. If there had been a National Industrial Council in 1926, there never would have been a general strike, because the miners would not have been able to stampede their comrades of other industries. We do not suppose that the new Council, if it is formed, will abolish trade disputes; but it will reduce their number and will make them less dangerous.
The good sense of the British people probably will carry the new movement to a successful conclusion. In the meanwhile the Irish Free State has done very little to bring about a permanent understanding between masters and men. A National Industrial Council is needed badly in the *Saorstát*. At present the machinery for industrial conciliation is very inadequate, and it is high time that something should be done to improve and extend it. Fortunately, the Free State has suffered very slightly from strikes during the last few years. The relations between Capital and Labour are reasonably good, but there is no constructive platform on which both can stand together. Several attempts have been made to secure a round-table conference between employers and workers. Something, however, invariably seems to happen at the last moment to thwart the scheme, and, while there is no actual trouble, masters and men remain at arms' length. The example of Lord Melchett's conference in England ought to be followed in the Free State without delay. There may be few men of the Melchett stamp in the *Saorstát*: indeed, we fear that Irish business men have not distinguished themselves by their imaginative powers. Nevertheless, most of them can see as far through a stone wall as anybody else, and there is no doubt at all that a conference between Capital and Labour is long overdue. We are sure that organised Labour would welcome such a scheme. At any rate, nothing can be lost by a trial, and the man who takes the initiative will do a splendid day's work for Ireland.

Prospects in China.

The Nanking Government is now the supreme authority in Chinese affairs, and Great Britain is pledged to discuss a revision of the foreign treaties with any Government that can speak for the whole country. We are sure that Sir Austen Chamberlain would keep his word gladly, but he may prefer to wait upon the developments of the next few weeks in Northern China. The situation there, as described by the Peking Correspondent of *The Times*, appears to be not less difficult than interesting. Three war lords carried the Southern banners triumphantly through the Northern provinces, and now they are engaged, after the Chinese fashion, in a division of the spoils. Yen Shi-shan, the well-esteemed dictator of the Shansi Province, is in actual occupation of Peking. He is a Northerner and has no sympathies with Communism. Feng Yu-hsiang, the jealous and masterful "Christian General," has trafficked with Moscow for his own ends, but he also is a Northerner and no Communist. Chiang Kai-shek, whom the other two summoned to their aid against the late Chang Tso-lin, commands forces that, being wholly Southern, coalesce badly with their Northern allies. Yen Shi-shan and Feng Yu-hsiang are rivals for the possession of Peking. Nominally, that city has ceased to be the capital of China, but it has great traditions and great wealth, and it holds the Legations of all the foreign Powers. Dublin would retain political importance even if the seat of national government should be transferred to Cork or Limerick. So the Governor of Chihli, established at Peking and controlling the port of Tientsin, must be an outstanding figure in the new China. "Who is to have Peking?" asks the Correspondent of *The Times*—"Yen or Feng? And when one has it, what is the other to get?" Furthermore, will the master of Peking be content to remain the nominee of Nanking and a faithful supporter of the Nationalist Government? It is said that, by agreement between the two leaders, Yen Shi-shan was to take Peking (which he now occupies), and that Feng Yu-hsiang was to have four rich provinces, including Shantung. The Japanese, however, are in Shantung, and, by way of compensation, Feng now covets Tientsin, the almost indispensable port of Peking. Here is ample material for a new quarrel between men who, two years ago, were engaged in fierce conflict. Even if we assume that all the military leaders will come to terms, and that the Nanking Government will be able to satisfy the British definition of a united China, the revision of the treaties will present serious difficulties. In the first place, Nanking will demand largely increased tariffs on foreign trade, but certainly will be unable to furnish any guarantees for the abolition of irregular taxation within the provinces. In the next place, Britain will be expected to acquiesce in the removal of extra-territorial privileges, although protection of the persons and property of foreigners remains beyond the power of any Chinese authority. The Correspondent of *The Times* concludes his review with the statement that Japan is the dominant factor in the Chinese situation, and that the whole question of the treaties and the degree in which they may be revised depends upon her attitude.

Roger Bacon.

The thirteenth century Franciscan friar, Roger Bacon, is best remembered as the contriver of the magnifying glass. He was also, in some measure, a pioneer of modern empiric science. Mr. A. G. Little, delivering this year's "Master Mind Lecture" at a meeting of the British Academy on Wednesday, said that it was Bacon's estimation of the sciences, according to their utility in human life, that led to the revaluation of mediæval knowledge. Bacon held that all science was contained in the Holy Scriptures, and accordingly he insisted on the importance of an accurate test. He enunciated the principles of textual criticism, and demanded the appointment of an authoritative Papal Commission to establish the text of the Bible. After more than five hundred years the Vatican Commission on the Vulgate is carrying out his plan. He expected the early manifestation of Anti-Christ in human form, and proposed that Anti-Christ should be resisted by means of contrivances of burning glasses, flying machines, submarines, tanks and gunpowder—for he knew how an explosive substance could be compounded of sulphur, saltpetre and charcoal. His genius was whimsical. To-day he would be called "a crank." For all his ingenuity in the natural sciences and his sagacity in textual criticism, he cherished extravagant superstitions. He believed in the "Philosopher's Stone" that could transmute all metals into gold. He was so convinced of the truth of astrology that he condemned the practice of being bled on Saturday—the eve of the day of rest. Saturday, he argued, came under the malign influence of Saturn, and, therefore, was an unfitting day for dangerous operations. It is not remarkable, therefore, that Bacon fell foul of his ecclesiastical superiors. For some years his extravagances brought him into prison. Nevertheless, it was from these very extravagances, as from wild guessing, that he advanced the bounds of thought. His astrological fantasies, for example, caused him to assert the curative value of selected rays of light. His career shows how the brilliant intuition of a mediæval mind could make discoveries in Nature's book. Aptly was he called the *doctor mirabilis*.

The Cuckoo.

How does the cuckoo's egg find its way to strangers' nests? The mystery, declares Mr. Oliver G. Pike, who writes on the subject in the *Daily Telegraph*, has been solved finally by the spying eye of the cinematograph. Formerly it was supposed that the cuckoo laid her egg upon the ground, picked it up with her beak, and flew with it to the selected nest. Some time ago Mr. Edgar Chance published a book, "The Cuckoo's Secret," in which he affirmed that he had found by ocular observation that cuckoos laid their eggs direct into the nests. This reversal of traditional belief was resisted strongly. Opponents of Mr. Chance's theory asked how the cuckoo could lay eggs in so fragile a nest as the reed warbler's, or in the domed nests of the wren and the chiff-chaff. Now Mr. Pike, working in conjunction with Mr. Chance, has proved Mr. Chance's case. "Together we produced a cinema film, which proved beyond every shadow of doubt that the cuckoos that we filmed laid their eggs into the nests after stealing one of the original eggs. A wonderful slow motion film was obtained, which showed every detail of the cuckoo arriving, stealing the egg, and laying her egg in its place, afterwards flying off with the stolen egg, which she retained in her beak while laying." The cuckoo has been observed laying in the nests of the tree pipit, the rock pipit, the meadow pipit, the yellow hammer, the pied wagtail and the reed warbler. Moreover, Mr. Pike cites circumstantial evidence to prove a case of laying by the cuckoo in the nest of a hedge-sparrow. As for the stolen eggs, the cuckoo shows herself an economical bird; for she devours them.

GERMAN CONSUL-GENERAL'S GARDEN PARTY.

The German Consul-General to the Free State, Dr. Georg von Dehn, gave a garden party at his residence, 58 Northumberland road, Dublin, in honour of the men of the Bremen. The weather was excellent, and there was a large attendance. Dr. von Dehn received the guests, who were presented to Baron von Huenefeld and his two companions.
Among those present were:—The President of the Executive Council of the Irish Free State, the Minister for External Affairs, the Minister for Defence, the Minister for Fisheries and Mrs. Lynch, Miss Lynch, the Parliamentary Secretary to the President and Mrs. Duggan, Mrs. Blythe, Mrs. Hugh Kennedy, Mrs. Fitzmaurice, the Marquis and the Marchioness MacSwiney, Sir Philip and Lady Hanson, Lieutenant-General and Mrs. McMahon, Lieutenant-General and Mrs. Hogan, Major-General and Mrs. MacNeill, Major-General and Mrs. Crouin, Major-General and Mrs. MacEoin, Major-General and Mrs. Sweeney, the Provost of Trinity College and Mrs. Gwynn, the President of the University College and Mrs. Coffey, Commissioner-General O'Duffy, Deputy Commissioner and Mrs. Murphy, Senator Barniville, Mrs. James Douglas, Commissioner and Mrs. S. Murphy, Mr. Marshall Harriss, Mr. and Mrs. Reddy, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Kennedy, Mr. and Mrs Rowan, Mr. W. Davin, T.D.; Mr. R. J. Kelly, K.C., and Mrs. Kelly; Professor and Mrs. Eoin MacNeill, Mrs. Louis Cassidy, Colonel and Mrs. Brasé, Commandant and Mrs. R. O'Hegarty, Captain Carroll, Mr. W. Klose, Commander Glimpf, Mr. Job Zimmerman, Mr. Charles Bewley, Master Horan, K.C.; Mrs. Gerald Horan, Miss Horan, Dr. T. A. McLaughlin, Miss McGilligan, Baurat and Mrs. Bach (Limerick), Baurat and Mrs. Goffin (Limerick), Dr. and Mrs. Stumpf, Dr. Senger, C.S.Sp.; Mr. and Mrs. Mueller Dubrow, Mrs. Ott, Mr. Weckler, Mr. and Mrs. Dubrow, Mr. F. Schulz, Mr. and Mrs. Bergemann, Mr. and Mrs. Ritter, Mr. Kuenstler, Dr. and Mrs. Tichauer, Dr. Fricke, and other members of the German Colony.

THE LANE PICTURES AND THE NEW GALLERY.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.
SIR,—As time goes on how freshly evident every day makes the truth of Mr. Birrell's dictum that "the question of the Lane pictures was solely one of ethics and gentlemanly feeling." It is constantly cropping up in all sorts of connections. We pass over the mystery of Lane's name not being even mentioned at the ceremonial of the opening of the New Tate Galleries, though Mr. Courtauld was warmly thanked for less conspicuous gifts. In *The Studio*, some months ago, the frontispiece is Vuillard's delightful *Nature Morte* (one of the 39 Lane pictures). It is described as "a recent acquisition to the Tate Gallery." Of course it had been exhibited there for many years back, and has been twelve years in their possession—not a word of recognition for Sir Hugh.
Mr. Bodkin told us, in his interesting address at the Theatre Royal, of the sensation made by the exhibition, in 1917, of Reuter's "*Parapluie*," another of the 39. Some hundred English artists and amateurs seized the opportunity of sending that master a testimony of their admiration—but no word of acknowledgment for the man to whom they were indebted for being able to study the picture. How can it be otherwise? He would, indeed, be a hardened cynic who expressed gratitude for a gift that was not intended for him, and of which he only got possession by an unfortunate inadvertence. And so our poor Lane, "sunk though he be beneath the watery floor" by the enemies of England, must ever remain without the meed of one memorial word of gratitude from that country. Now for our side of the matter.
At the inquiry about the new gallery I was surprised that all the evidence turned on the advantage and utility it would be to the city and country at large to have our fine collection suitably housed, or, on the other side, whether we could afford to treat ourselves to such a luxury—but our duty and obligation to Lane was entirely lost sight of.
We have done nothing to show our gratitude to him for his magnificent generosity to us. We have not even paid him the cheap compliment of calling a street after him. He raised among us an enthusiasm and enlightenment about art which has not yet entirely subsided. He more than doubled the endowment of the National Gallery, so that more than half of its additions each year we owe to him, as well as giving it fifty of its most valuable pictures—in fact, he gave us everything he had. Here is now our opportunity to show some recognition of this. It was asked at the inquiry whether, when Lane presented the collection to the municipality, any promise in writing was given that a proper place to house it would be built. I do not know, as I had no concern with the Gallery up to that date; but no one can deny that there was a tacit understanding between the two parties to that effect. So unless we wish to put ourselves on a level with the English "in pushing our legal rights beyond the moral sanction," the question is not relevant.
A great deal was said about poor men's houses; one wonders whether one more or less would be built if the Gallery is turned down. We all remember those who murmured, "Why was not this ointment sold for 300 pence and given to the poor?" but we do not remember that the idea was well received.
The English cannot thank Lane, though they enjoy his so valuable French collection. We, who know his intention regarding them and his noble good-will to us, are the people who should show gratitude, and building the gallery is the form chosen by himself.—Yours, etc.,
S. H. PURSER.
Mespil House, Dublin,
July 5th, 1928.

The Prince of Wales and the King of Spain were among the guests at a dinner given by the Spanish Ambassador last night in honour of King Alfonso.

COURT AND PERSONAL.

The Prince of Wales will be present at the garden party which Sir Philip Sassoon will give to-day at Trent Park, his residence in Hertfordshire. Last night His Royal Highness was the guest of the Spanish Ambassador and the Marquesa de Merry del Val at their dinner party in honour of the King of Spain at the Spanish Embassy.
The Duchess of York will visit Richmond Hill next Tuesday, and will perform the opening ceremony at the annual exhibition of the work executed by the patients and convalescents at the Star and Garter Home.
Yesterday afternoon Princess Beatrice received the delegates attending the National Health and Child Welfare Conference at the entertainment given for them by the League of Remembrance at 1 Marlborough Gate, London. Her Royal Highness will open the garden *fête* in aid of the voluntary hospitals in the Royal Botanic Gardens next Thursday. In the following week she will leave Kensington Palace for Carisbrooke Castle, Isle of Wight, where she will be in residence for about three months.
Major-General the Earl of Athlone, Governor-General of the Union of South Africa, will be the guest of honour at the annual luncheon of the Federation of Chambers of Commerce of the British Empire, which will be held next Wednesday in the Savoy Hotel.
The Marchioness of Londonderry has arrived at Mount Stewart, Co. Down, for a short stay, and will return to London next week. The Marchioness of Linlithgow will leave Hopetoun House to-day to visit Captain and Lady Victoria Wemyss in Fifeshire, and will open a garden *fête* to-morrow, in aid of the Women's Guild of Empire, in the grounds of Wemyss Castle. The Countess of Dunraven and Lady Olein Wyndham-Quin were among Lord and Lady Glanely's guests at Exning House for Newmarket Races.
The Earl of Rosebery, who is in residence at Dalmeny House, near Edinburgh, attended the wedding of one of his tenants at Dalmeny parish church on Wednesday. He still uses a wheel-chair, and has had a motor car specially constructed to accommodate it, and is thus able to fulfil a number of engagements without unnecessary fatigue.
Countess Fitzwilliam will return to London to-day from Newmarket, where she was the guest of Lord and Lady George Dundas at Hill Cottage for the races. The Earl and Countess of Midleton have returned to London from the country. Viscount and Viscountess Suirdale are expected in London to-day on their return from Czecho-Slovakia.
The marriage arranged between Herbert Vaughan, elder son of the late Mr. Herbert Wilson, K.C., and Mrs. Wilson, of Knockbawn Cottage, Greystones, and Rachel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Perry, 3 Sandford terrace, Clonskeagh, will take place on 7th August.
The marriage arranged between Michael Joseph Grant, New York, youngest son of Michael and Mrs. Grant, Black Park, Athy, and Catherine, second youngest daughter of John and Mrs. O'Brien, of Rathmines, will take place with a Nuptial Mass at the Church of Our Lady of Refuge, Rathmines, Dublin, on July 10, at 10 o'clock.
The engagement is announced between Richard Pattinson, only son of Sir Richard and Lady Winfrey, of Castor House, near Peterborough, and Margretta Nora, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Russell, of Priorlands, Dundalk, Co. Louth, Ireland.
The marriage arranged between Mr. John E. O'Brien and Miss Moira Brassey will take place at the Brompton Oratory on Friday, July 27th, at 2.30 p.m.
Miss Eileen Clibborn, of Silverspring, Clonmel, wore a very lovely gown of palest rose georgette embroidered diamanté at her wedding to Mr. R. J. C. Wilson, of Clonmel. The going away gown was of beige lace, with long sash ends

FINANCIER'S DEATH MYSTERY.

THE WRONG DOOR THEORY.

PILOT'S STORY OF DRAMATIC NOTE DURING FLIGHT OVER SEA.

STOCK EXCHANGE "SLUMP."

REASSURING STATEMENT BY TWO FELLOW-DIRECTORS.

THE London Stock Markets suffered a shock as severe as that which followed the death of Mr. James White, on the news of the death of Captain Alfred Loewenstein, the Belgian financier, who fell out of his private aeroplane while flying to Brussels on Wednesday night.

Captain Loewenstein's interests had mainly centred in International Holdings and Hydro-Electrical. These stocks, after a long period of almost uninterrupted movement, recently experienced sharp declines, varied with partial recoveries. The market awaited with deep anxiety an indication of movements in New York, but there, at its opening, the Stock Market was not disturbed by the news of Captain Loewenstein's death.

In London, however, there were considerable fluctuations, as will be seen by the following list:—

	Yesterday. Lowest.	Close.	Wednesday's Close.
International Holdings	100	145	215
Hydro-Electrics	23	40	51
Brazilian Traction Common	58	60½	60½
Barcelona Common	—	58½	61
Mexican Trams	—	32½	34½

After a day of dramatic surprises, the members of the Stock Exchange went home with a partial feeling of relief. New York unexpectedly came in as a buyer, and that, coupled with a reassuring statement from the officials of the International Holdings and Hydro-Electric Company, Ltd., led to a rally in the prices of the shares. Should a further statement of a similar nature be received from Messrs. Schroeder and Company, as expected, it is possible that a further upward movement may mature to-day, although the market is still very sensitive, more especially in view of the near approach of the settlement, which may reveal hitherto unsuspected sources of weakness.

For a time, although Captain Loewenstein was famous in all the financial centres of the world, he was virtually unknown to the general public. His name jumped into general prominence with his grandiose scheme for loaning £10,000,000 to the Belgian Government to assist the stabilisation of the currency. Then he offered the same amount to the French Government, but both Governments refused to have anything to do with it.

The greatest battle of his career was with Dr. Henry Dreyfus, Chairman of British Celanese, of which company he tried to obtain control. After a war between the two, lasting for nearly two years, Captain Loewenstein was defeated and sold his holdings in the company, leaving Dr. Dreyfus in control.

He was always trying to obtain control of one company or another, in order to further his ambitions for gigantic world combines. Sometimes he was successful, but his defeats were frequent. Again and again recently he had lost. Last week he tried to pull off a great operation, which was to give him control of the Bank of Brussels. The directors of the bank, however, were too powerful for him.

HOW THE ACCIDENT HAPPENED.

"THE WRONG DOOR" THEORY.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.
BOULOGNE, Thursday.

It was only at 1.30 this morning that the aerodromes on the French coast learned of the tragic death of Captain Alfred Loewenstein, the famous Belgian financier. Captain Loewenstein had left Croydon Aerodrome at eight minutes past six last evening in his Fokker aeroplane for Brussels. The machine was piloted by the British airman, Captain Drew, and there were also on board the 'plane two of the financier's secretaries, Mr. Callum and Mr. Hodgson, both British; a valet, Mr. Baxter, and two women typists, one of whom—Miss Clarke—is British, and the other—Mlle. Badilan—French.

A DRAMATIC NOTE.

The first news that anything was wrong reached the pilot with dramatic suddenness when the 'plane was over the English Channel and nearing Dunkirk, on the French coast. A note was handed to him by Mr. Hodgson stating that Captain Loewenstein was missing. Captain Drew immediately planed down towards the water and flew around at a low altitude to see if anything could be seen.

Nothing was sighted, and a landing was made at Dunkirk, where the authorities were informed of Captain Loewenstein's disappearance and requested to send out search parties. In view of the distance from the French coast at which the accident had happened, there was not much chance of anything effective being accomplished, and the machine went on to St. Ingelvert Aerodrome, near Calais.

FELL FROM 4,000 FEET.

In an interview with Reuter's Correspondent Captain Drew said that at the moment when the accident must have taken place the machine was flying at a height of about 4,000 feet, and none of those on board the 'plane was quite sure as to the exact spot at which M. Loewenstein could have fallen out.

Captain Drew further declared that Captain Loewenstein had left his companions to visit the lavatory. After he had been away about ten minutes his secretary, fearing that something was amiss, went to look for him. The secretary found the lavatory empty, and at once realised that Captain Loewenstein must have made a mistake and opened the wrong door. He then immediately wrote the note to the pilot asking him to land, as the noise of the engine made all conversation impossible.

THE TWO DOORS.

In Captain Loewenstein's aeroplane passengers are accommodated in a central cabin in the fuselage, to which access is obtained through a door at the back. On the other side of this doorway is a small passage, with a door on the right, and another on the left. The left-hand door is a solid one, which opens into a small lavatory, while the right-hand one, which is provided with a small mica window, closes the main entrance to the fuselage.

It is through this door that Captain Lowenstein must have fallen to his death. It is necessary to exert considerable strength to open the door in question when the 'plane is in flight, owing to the pressure of the wind.

Coastguards and lighthouse keepers all along the coast between Mardyck and Bray dunes have been instructed by the police to search for the body of Captain Loewenstein, and fishing boats are dragging with nets in the Channel.

'PLANE TO BE SOLD.

Immediately on learning of the accident to her husband Mme. Loewenstein left Brussels for Calais, where she arrived this morning. She gave orders for the 'plane from which Captain Loewenstein was lost to return to London.

"Let it be sold," she said, "I do not ever wish to see it again."

The Fokker 'plane, piloted by Captain Drew, accordingly left St. Ingelvert this afternoon on its return to Croydon.

'PLANE EXAMINED.

After Captain Loewenstein's big blue and grey aeroplane had arrived at Croydon yesterday afternoon, Captain Donald Drew added further details to the interview given above.

"The last I saw of Captain Loewenstein was just after we had passed the Goodwins. Some time after that he went to the back of the 'plane, and was absent for about a quarter of an hour. His valet, Mr. Baxter, then began to wonder why he was so long, and, opening the door of the inside compartment, he saw that the room was empty and that the outer door in the side of the 'plane was open.

"The first I really knew of this was when I saw a piece of paper which Mr. Baxter pressed against the window behind me. On it was written: 'CAPTAIN GONE.'

"Of course, I was amazed. I realised the impossibility of searching for the captain's body, for we had come across at about 4,000 feet, and it would have been, I should think, terribly mutilated by a fall from so great a height.

"I can venture no theory at all as to how Captain Loewenstein fell out, or where; but I should think that it was not very far from the French coast. The captain seemed to be in quite a normal state of health."

Mr. R. F. Little, the assistant pilot and mechanic, said: "I think the women secretaries are to be admired for their calmness. None of them showed any sign of fear, and it must have been a very trying moment for them when they discovered that Captain Loewenstein had disappeared."

The aeroplane was examined last night by Croydon officials. No apparent clues as to the cause of Captain Loewenstein's fall were discovered inside the 'plane. The woodwork holding the lock of the outer door was found to be splintered, one piece of wood having almost broken away from the main upright, but the door opens outward, and the damage could not have been caused by forcing the door in that direction.

CHEERFUL DURING JOURNEY.

DUNKIRK, Thursday.

In an interview here to-day one of the typists said that the captain seemed very cheerful during the journey.

"NOTHING TO FEAR."

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.
BRUSSELS, Thursday.

M. Henri Wauters, the intimate friend of the late Captain Loewenstein, in an interview to-day with the *Nation Belge*, said that all the financier's affairs are being managed by competent administrators, in whom the deceased had had implicit trust, and who were conversant wit. his ideas and his methods.

There was, therefore, said M. Wauters, nothing to fear for the future.

SPANISH TENNIS CHAMPION ILL.

WOMEN'S FINAL POSTPONED UNTIL TO-MORROW.

Senorita de Alvarez, the Spanish lawn tennis champion, is ill with laryngitis, and a throat specialist has been called in.

She reported her illness to the Wimbledon Committee yesterday, sending them a medical certificate, and asking that her match to-day in the final of the Women's Singles Championship against Miss Helen Wills, the American holder, should be postponed.

The Wimbledon Committee stated last night that they had decided that the finals shall be played to-morrow, provided Senorita de Alvarez is then well enough to play.

MYSTERY.

INTERESTS OF £11,000,000.

STOCK EXCHANGE RE-ACTIONS.

SHARES NOT TO BE THROWN ON THE MARKET.

FROM A FINANCIAL CORRESPONDENT.

It is not unnatural that International Holdings and Hydro-Electric Securities should be the first to be affected by Captain Loewenstein's death, for they are the two largest companies over which M. Loewenstein presided whose shares are quoted on the London Stock Exchange. Other securities in companies connected with the Loewenstein interests, directly or indirectly, do not all have quotations in London, but Glanzstoff, Tomaszow and Barcelona Tractions, exceptions to the above, were affected by yesterday's events.

An urgent meeting of the Brussels Bourse Committee was held yesterday to consider the situation, and quotations shed several hundred francs in a few hours before noon. New York, after early weakness, came into the market, and was to an extent responsible for a partial recovery, aided largely by reassuring statements from official quarters.

Nevertheless, a number of foreign houses in London reported heavy and constant selling orders by their clients, and prices closed well below Wednesday's levels.

REASSURANCES.

There are two reasons which caused the public's apprehension. First, there is the fact that Captain Loewenstein was an energetic leader of his group, whose foresight and ability, it was thought, would be difficult to replace. Secondly, the fact is well known that his personal holdings in the various companies was very large, and it was wondered to what extent these holdings would be thrust upon the open market.

Reassurance on both these points came to hand during the course of yesterday in the nature of a statement by the Advisory Committee of the International Holdings Company quoted elsewhere, and an announcement that the banking house of J. Henry Schroeder is undertaking all responsibility for Captain Loewenstein's interests, which are valued at £11,000,000, and giving the public assurance that none of these securities will be thrown on the open market.

INTERNATIONAL HOLDINGS.

By reason of his own diversified interests, and of the widespread holdings and ramifications of the International Holdings and Investment Company, Ltd., of which he was President, Captain Loewenstein's death has affected a large number of securities.

The Holdings Company, which is now incorporated in Quebec, has an authorised capital of 5,000,000 shares of no par value, of which 4,369,500 are outstanding.

Yesterday's fall of 70 points per share thus represents a capital depreciation of some 305,865,000 dollars.

The company holds interests in the electrical and chemical industries, in public utility undertakings, and in the artificial silk industry. At market prices, or quotations on May 26 last, the investments in artificial silk companies' shares represent 41,664,000 dollars, in public utilities shares 13,826,000 dollars, in United States railroad shares 2,860,000 dollars, and in miscellaneous investments 6,320,000 dollars.

The company has no bond issue outstanding, but arrangements have been entered into with a group headed by the J. Henry Schroder Banking Corporation, New York, for an issue of 25,000,000 dollars 5 per cent. bonds, which it is intended to make as soon as market conditions permit, and which is referred to in the official statement.

ARTIFICIAL SILK.

Among the artificial silk companies in which the Holdings Company have an interest are:—

Tubize (47 per cent. of voting power, 29 per cent. of capital).
Glanzstoff, J. P. Bemberg (10½ per cent. of capital).
Breda and Tomaszow (holding of 5,000,000 dollars).

The effect of yesterday's news upon these individually can be judged by reports from foreign markets, the only two quoted in London being Glanzstoff and Tomaszow. The former, after closing on Wednesday at 6¾, dropped to 6½ at one time yesterday, to recover partially to 6¾, or ¼ lower on the day. Tomaszow closed only fractionally down at 2⅞.

Such, in brief, have been the consequences of the death of Captain Loewenstein, who was, without doubt, one of the most ingenious financiers of our days, operating the markets with masterly skill, and showing a brilliant imagination in his schemes of regrouping companies.

His limitations soon became evident, however, when he overstepped his appropriate domain and aimed at accomplishing acts of financial statesmanship.

"NO CAUSE FOR ANXIETY."

STATEMENT BY MEMBERS OF ADVISORY COMMITTEE.

In an official statement two members of the Advisory Committee, acting for the International Holdings and Investment Company and the Hydro-Electric Securities Corporation, state:—

"The financial position of both companies is sound, and the very large shareholdings of the late Captain Loewenstein in the two companies are, in the main, to the best of our knowledge, unencumbered.

"It is as yet too early to say what arrangements can be made to fill the place of Captain Loewenstein as President of the two companies, but due consideration is being given to the matter by the board in Canada, and an early announcement will be made.

"There is nothing in the situation, as we understand it to-day, which, in our opinion, need give rise to any anxiety. Our advice to the companies will be to continue and further develop the well-conceived policy agreed upon by us with Captain Loewenstein.

"The contemplated sale by the International Holding and Investment Co., Ltd., of the unissued shares in the company will be proceeded with forthwith.—F. A. SZARVASY, ALBERT PAM."

NO REACTIONS IN AMERICA.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.
NEW YORK, Thursday.

The tragic death of Captain Loewenstein, though deeply regretted by those who had had an opportunity of making his acquaintance during his visit here this spring, is more a newspaper feature than a market feature as far as North and South America are concerned.

As far as is known, the dead financier did not have any holdings in any concern on this side of the Atlantic large enough for his death to have any marked effect on price movements.

According to popular report, Captain Loewenstein had considerable holdings in American artificial silk companies, but no confirmation of this is obtainable. Officials of the Tubize Artificial Silk Company, one of the largest in this country, declared that he had no connection with them. The South American markets, according to first-hand information, were also unaffected.

HAILSTONES LIKE HEN'S EGGS.

THUNDERSTORMS LAST 36 HOURS.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.
WIESBADEN, Thursday.

Thunderstorms have been raging for the past thirty-six hours in the valleys of the Moselle and the Saar. Scores of people have been slightly injured by the hailstones, which were the size of hens' eggs, and thousands of windows have been smashed.

Irreparable damage has been done in the famous vineyards of the Moselle Valley, hundreds of vines having been beaten flat.

Heavy losses have also been sustained in towns and villages, where the streets were turned into torrents.

MAN WHO THOUGHT IN MILLIONS.

HOW CAPTAIN LOEWENSTEIN MADE A FORTUNE.

Captain Alfred Loewenstein, says *The Times*, in the course of an obituary notice, was born in 1879, the son of Belgian parents, the family on the paternal side being of German origin. His father was a small banker in Brussels, whose moderate capital was lost before his death.

The son, therefore, entered upon his business career in comparatively modest circumstances. He became associated with the Brussels Stock Exchange, and was scarcely known by the general public until after the war.

The foundation of his fortunes as a financier were, however, laid in the early years of the present century, when he undertook the placing with the Belgian public of large lines of securities of hydro-electric companies, that were promoted by Mr. Percival Farquhar, and the late Dr. Pearson (who was drowned in the Lusitania). It was then that Loewenstein acquired his knowledge of the possibilities of hydro-electric enterprises.

DARING FINANCIAL EXPLOITS.

His daring speculative exploits, and the success that attended some of them, attracted a large financial following in Europe and America, and to a lesser extent in this country.

It is evident that before his death Captain Loewenstein must have witnessed a severe shrinkage of his fortune from the figure at which it stood (on paper) not many weeks ago, although it is declared by some of those associated with him that he was still at the time of his death an extremely wealthy man, and, according to an official statement issued yesterday, his holdings in his two investment companies were unencumbered.

It was inevitable that in his aggressive campaigns to wrest the control of established companies from their existing owners, Loewenstein should sometimes encounter opposition. In addition to his defeat by the Dreyfus group may be mentioned the effective hostility he encountered from those in control of the Dutch Enka Company.

HUNTING IN ENGLAND.

In private life Captain Loewenstein's habits were characteristic of a financier who thought in millions. He lived and travelled in lavish and ostentatious style. He owned expensive houses in Brussels and Biarritz, and one in England at Thorpe Satchville, near Melton Mowbray. This he used when hunting—he was a familiar figure with the Quorn—and it was there that he kept a large racing establishment, which included over 40 horses.

While not fond of flat racing, he had great fondness for steeplechasing. At the last Grand National Meeting he made a bid for victory with Easter Hero, for which he paid £7,000. Here he was unsuccessful, but a fortnight ago he obtained some compensation by winning the French Grand National with Maguelonne.

He was well known as an exhibitor at the principal Horse Shows, and often rode his own horses in the jumping competitions. His business ventures made him a much-travelled man, and, as evidence of his passion for display, it is reported that in the spring of this year, when he paid a visit to America, he even managed to astonish New York by his imposing retinue, which included four secretaries, two stenographers, a private detective, a masseur, and an air pilot, the total cost of whose passage was £4,000.

AN ATTRACTIVE PERSONALITY.

His army rank Captain Loewenstein obtained while serving during the war with the Belgian forces.

Later he assisted the Allied cause on this side, for which he was made a C.B. Captain Loewenstein had a very attractive personality, was loyal to his friends and associates, and enjoyed to an exceptional extent the affection of his subordinates. He leaves a widow and one son, aged 18.

WIDE FINANCIAL INTERESTS.

A BROKER IN BRUSSELS AT NINETEEN.

BRUSSELS, Thursday.

Writing of the financier's career, the *Nation Belge* says that he had first come into notice as a broker on the Brussels Stock Exchange when he was only nineteen years old. With the help of very active assistants he soon built up a business of some importance, but it was always, as he recently said, questions of electricity which attracted him most, and he soon was responsible for the creation of a Waterways Traction Company.

It was after he met Dr. Pearson, one of the pioneers in the development of the electrical industry, that Captain Loewenstein began to embark on international enterprises and became interested in the Canadian group, Rio de Janeiro Tramways, Light and Power, Mexico Light, Mexico Trams, San Paolo Tramways, and latterly Brazilian Traction.

It was with the support of Dr. Pearson that he created the Barcelona Traction, one of his greatest enterprises, which gave birth to the Sidro-International Hydro-Electric Power Company.

Artificial silk also captured his imagination and interest, and La Tubize was formed as the nucleus of a number of affairs of this nature.

By the creation of the International Holdings and Investment Company he was able to unite all these various enterprises in one great trust, which only recently was transferred to the Canadian *régime*.

The Hydro-Electric security controlled his electrical enterprises, and, with a view to giving these various undertakings a basis of operation in Belgium and France, he had only just established the Belgo-Canadian Society and the F.I.A.

ROUND THE WORLD IN 23 DAYS.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.
PARIS, Thursday.

Two American world fliers, the millionaire, Mr. John Miers, and his pilot, Mr. Collier, who are attempting to circle the world in twenty-three days, arrived at Cherbourg this morning in the liner Aquitania from New York, bringing their 220 h.p. monoplane with them as luggage.

They lost no time in unpacking the aeroplane, in which they flew post-haste to Le Bourget, intending to take off from there at 6 o'clock this evening for Berlin, and continue their aerial "hustle" across Siberia to Tokio.

AIRMEN TO DINE WITH THE EX-KAISER.

FLYING TO DOORN AT DAWN.

LIMERICK SCENES.

The reason why Baron von Huenefeld and Captain H. Köhl are leaving Baldonnel Aerodrome on their return journey to Germany in the monoplane Europa, at dawn to-day, was made known to an *Irish Times* representative last night. They are to dine with the ex-Kaiser at his residence at Doorn, Holland, to-night.

They had kept their secret very well, for everyone has been under the impression that they were returning direct to Germany, and that the visit to the ex-Kaiser at Doorn had been abandoned. Major Fitzmaurice is going with his two German comrades, and when the Europa leaves Doorn the association of the three airmen which made history will be broken. For them it will be the end of their great adventure.

NINE HOURS' FLIGHT.

For three months, all but a few days, these men—two Germans and an Irish officer—have weathered the storms of one Ocean and two Continents together.

The journey to Doorn is something over 800 miles, and will take about nine hours.

Baron von Huenefeld and Major Fitzmaurice left Kingsbridge Station by special train for Limerick last night, accompanied by the Minister for Defence and Mrs. Fitzmaurice, General and Mrs. McKeown. Captain Carroll and Captain Heron, of the Air Force, also travelled down in the special train.

BACK AT 2.40 A.M.

A great crowd gathered at the Kingsbridge Station to give them a send-off, and a guard of honour, under Commandant Luke O'Hegarty, was present.

Captain Köhl did not make the journey, as he has to pilot the 'plane to Doorn to-day. He went to bed early, while the Baron and Major Fitzmaurice made the trip to Limerick, which they left for Dublin at 12.50 this morning, arriving back at 2.40 a.m., after a record run.

The engagements of the airmen began yesterday morning with a visit to the Archbishop of Dublin, the Most Rev. Dr. Byrne, at the Archbishop's House, Drumcondra. They arrived at 11.45 o'clock and stayed for about ten minutes, after they had been received in his study.

After that the fliers motored to the Viceregal Lodge, where they lunched with the Governor-General of the Free State. The party included:—

Baron von Huenefeld, Captain Hermann Köhl, Major and Mrs. Fitzmaurice, the American Minister and Mrs. Stirling, Mr. Fitzgerald (Minister for Defence), Mr. McGilligan (Minister for External Affairs), Lieutenant-General and Mrs. McMahon, Major-General and Mrs. MacEoin, Major-General and Mrs. W. R. E. Murphy, Herr von Dehn, German Consul-General; Herr Klose, Senator Barniville, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Kennedy, Commissioner and Mrs. Murphy, Mr. Marshall Harriss, and the Rev. Michael Langford.

LIMERICK'S WELCOME.

FLIERS MOBBED BY GREAT CROWD.

LIMERICK, Thursday Night.

Limerick to-night did its best to beat the reception given in Dublin to the Baron von Huenefeld and Major Fitzmaurice. All Limerick turned out to greet the fliers, who arrived by a special train which left Dublin shortly after six o'clock and made a record non-stop run to Limerick Junction, where engines were changed. Limerick was reached twenty minutes later.

At the station they were met by the Mayor, Alderman J. G. O'Brien. Outside the station a crowd of many thousands gave a wild cheer as the military guard of honour presented arms, and the band then struck up the German National Anthem and "The Soldier's Song."

THE MAYORAL COACHES.

The procession then began. A military lorry was in front, followed by a long line of motor cars of the reception committee. The No. 2 Army Band came next, with three horse-drawn coaches bearing the fliers, Mrs. Fitzmaurice, the Mayor, Mr. Desmond Fitzgerald, the Minister of Defence, and the mayoral party. The three mayoral coaches presented a striking spectacle, with liveried drivers and footmen at front and rear.

The Mayor, who was attended by the High Constable and the Mace-bearer, was wearing the gold chains of office.

BATONS DRAWN, BUT NOT USED.

The Limerick reception committee learned its lesson from Dublin, and decided that the procession should not be lost in the crowd, so they put the fliers near the end.

This worked perfectly; for when the fliers left the station square the crowd broke through the double cordon of Civic Guards and military guards that encircled the airmen's coach.

For several minutes the people milled around endeavouring to mob the fliers, cheering madly all the while.

The crush was so great that the Civic Guards had to draw their bayons, but there was no occasion to use them, as the mere action had the desired effect.

It was another five minutes before the procession reformed. It then proceeded to the platform outside Cruise's Hotel, O'Connell street, by a circuitous route, which was lined by great crowds. As the procession moved on, the crowds fell in alongside and behind, so that is was almost brought to a stanstill

MANY FLAGS.

The streets were lined with German and Free State flags, and banners of welcome were stretched across the streets. Seven bands took part in the procession.

The sun shone through heavy clouds at the beginning, but by the time Baron Von Huenefeld and Major Fitzmaurice and the rest of the party ascended the platform rain was falling.

The police and military combined had great difficulty in controlling the crowd, which surged to and fro, cheering wildly.

The Mayor welcomed the fliers to the city, and said that Major Fitzmaurice was a Limerick County man, and they were more proud of him than words could express.

The gallant airmen had laid a trail to America by air for the first time, just as Saint Brendan made the first trail by sea to the Continent.

Mrs. Fitzmaurice was then introduced to the assembly.

Major Fitzmaurice, who was greeted with prolonged cheers, said that he desired to express the grateful thanks of the Baron and himself to the people of Limerick for the wonderful reception. He expressed Captain Koehl's sorrow at his non-attendance, but some one had to sleep, as they had to be off again in the morning.

Baron von Huenefeld also expressed his thanks for the wonderful reception.

THE BANQUET.

BARON VON HUENEFELD AND IRELAND.

FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.
LIMERICK, Friday, 1 a.m.

The banquet to the Atlantic fliers, held in the ballroom of Cruise's Hotel last night, was largely attended. The Mayor presided. The room was tastefully decorated with German and Free State colours.

The first toast, "Eire," was proposed by the Mayor.

Herr Bach, engineer of the Shannon scheme, said that in that scheme they had Germans and Irishmen working cordially in a great industrial enterprise, and, in due time, German engineers and Irish engineers, and German workmen and Irish workmen would harness the Shannon for the benefit of all Ireland. He believed that Limerick would yet become the heart of Ireland.

An address of welcome to the fliers was then read by the Mayor, who spoke of the wonderful achievement of the Bremen crew.

The toast of the Bremen's crew was proposed by Alderman Dr. W. Fogarty.

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LATE NEWS.

INDEPENDENCE DAY

HEAVY DEATH ROLL IN UNITED STATES.

FROM "THE TIMES" CORRESPONDENT.
NEW YORK, Thursday.

The celebration of Independence Day in the metropolitan district of New York yesterday was marred, as usual, by many casualties from fireworks, and by a number of drownings at the near-by ocean and lake resorts, to which hundreds of thousands were driven by the excessive heat in the city. A sudden storm in the late afternoon was responsible for most of the drownings, which altogether exceeded twenty.

The number of accidents from fireworks in New York was considerably less than the 1,400 reported last year, the sale of fireworks in the city having been prohibited. Nevertheless, the hospitals treated scores of persons for powder burns, and more serious injuries from "bootlegged" explosives, and firemen were called upon to extinguish a dozen fires started by fireworks. Including those drowned, thirty-seven persons were killed in and about the city, and several others died from heat prostration. Throughout the day the temperature was well over 80 degrees, and at 4 p.m., just before the storm broke, it reached 89 degrees.

There were 168 deaths elsewhere in the country attributable, in part at least, to accidents involving explosives, and to sudden storms. High temperatures everywhere brought a general exodus from the cities to the ocean beaches, and to the lakes and rivers, and storms found victims among inexperienced and over-venturesome swimmers. Drownings throughout the country numbered 106, and deaths from motor car accidents 54. Only 11 persons were actually killed by fireworks, but many thousands suffered burns or other injuries requiring medical attendance.

There were several so-called cloudbursts in different parts of the country. One at Rainbow Gardens, near McKeesport, Pennsylvania, was followed by a landslip, which caused the death of a boy and the destruction of 185 motor cars. Nine motor cars were washed over a dam near the same place. A second landslip, a short distance from McKeesport, wrecked 40 cars and injured a dozen persons.

BANKS MUST TELL.

NAMES TO BE GIVEN TO INCOME TAX COMMISSIONERS.

A decision of considerable importance was delivered by Mr. Justice Rowlatt in the King's Bench Division, London, yesterday, who gave judgment for the Crown in a special case stated for the consideration of the Court, which raised the point as to whether the National Provincial Bank were bound to prepare and deliver lists of names and addresses of their customers on whose behalf they received interest on War Stock registered in the name of the bank, but belonging, in fact, to their customers.

The bank had refused to deliver up such lists when asked to do so by the Commissioners of Inland Revenue, on the ground that the Commissioners were not entitled to demand such lists.

The Judge held that, in obtaining the money, the bank were simply acting as mortgagees. He gave judgment for the Commissioners, with costs.

ATLANTIC FLOWN AGAIN.

ITALIAN AIRMEN REACH BRAZIL.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.
PERNAMBUCO, Thursday.

The Italian airmen, Ferrarin and Del Prete, who left Monte Celio Aerodrome at 7.51 on Tuesday evening, landed at the beach at Port Natal (Brazil) to-night at 7.50 in their 550 horse-power Savoia, with which they won the world's endurance record of 58 hours 37 minutes some time ago.

They flew over Port Natal, Brazil, at 6.10 this evening, and dropped a message of greeting to Brazil.

They passed over Pernambuco, having flown the Atlantic, at 11.5 this morning, having covered 5,000 miles, thus beating the Atlantic record set up by Mr. Chamberlin and Mr. Levine.

SAVIDGE TRIBUNAL.

MAJORITY AND MINORITY REPORTS.

FROM PRESS ASSOCIATION'S LOBBY CORRESPONDENT.

The members of the Savidge Tribunal have failed to compose their differences on the more important issues raised by the investigation, with the result that the presentation of a single report bearing the signatures of all three Commissioners has become impossible. In these circumstances it is proposed to present a majority report, signed by Sir John Eldon Bankes, the Chairman, and Mr. J. J. Withers, M.P., and a minority report by Mr. H. B. Lees-Smith, M.P.

Mr. Lees-Smith took an active part in questioning witnesses at the inquiry, and there were indications then of differences of views among the Commissioners.

The two reports are expected to be presented to the Home Secretary on Saturday, and they will be issued for publication a few days afterwards, but it is doubtful whether they will be available before the House of Commons, on Wednesday next, debates the circumstances of Lord Byng's appointment as Commissioner of the Metropolitan Police.

TOTALISATOR BILL IN THE COMMONS.

WHIPPING UP SUPPORTERS.

A keen fight is expected in the House of Commons to-day on the Totalisator Bill. It comes before the House as a private member's bill for report of the amendments made in Committee, and, as determined opposition awaits it, the promoters were last night taking special steps to ensure an adequate attendance of supporters throughout to-day's proceedings.

When the bill was last before the House on second reading it was supported by 149 members, of whom 145 were Conservatives, and opposed by 134 members, of whom 46 were Conservatives.

Mr. Ramsay Macdonald will to-day ask the Speaker to give a ruling on the point, whether the bill as amended is the same bill to which the House gave a second reading last March.

Mr. Rhys Davies intends to move to recommit the bill to a Select Committee, and there are numerous amendments in the names of Labour members, and Sir Basil Peto, a Conservative, who has opposed the bill throughout.

The Government is pledged to provide further time for the discussion of the bill if the report and third reading stages are not concluded to-day.

IMPERIAL WIRELESS.

REPORT OF CONFERENCE.

Mr. Ammon, in the House of Commons yesterday, asked the Prime Minister when the report of the Committee of the Imperial Conference appointed to consider Imperial wireless and cable communications would be ready.

Mr. Baldwin—I understand that the Imperial Wireless and Cable Conference hope to be able to submit their report shortly.

YESTERDAY IN THE DAIL.

ANOTHER DEPUTY SUSPENDED.

BADLY STAGED.

NEW METHODS TO PROTECT THE SPEAKER.

FROM A SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.

A week ago Mr. Frank Aiken, the Fianna Fail deputy for Louth, was suspended from the service of the Dail for calling the Speaker "a mean cad and a mean skunk." Yesterday his period of suspension expired and he resumed his seat. A few minutes afterwards his colleague, Mr. Hugo Flinn, who represents Cork City in the Fianna Fail interest, was similarly suspended.

It all happened very quickly. Mr. Cosgrave had quietly moved that the Committee on Procedure and Privileges should draw up a Standing Order "dealing specifically with deputies who bring the House into contempt by disorderly conduct towards the Chair."

When Mr. Cosgrave had explained that the existing Standing Orders did not adequately meet such attacks upon the Speaker, Mr. de Valera was at once on his feet protesting against the motion. "We have not had sufficient time to consider it," he said.

The Speaker, however, accepted the motion, "because," as he plainly put it, "the motion is one concerning the business of the House."

MR. FLINN INTERVENES.

Now Mr. Hugo Flinn seldom misses an opportunity of quarrelling with the decisions of the Chair. He jumped to his feet, and in his best debating society manner, raised a point of order. "If you accept this motion," he volleyed, "you are deliberately infringing the rights and liberties of the ordinary members of this House."

The Speaker has "a way with him when dealing with recalcitrant deputies, and a particular "way" when dealing with Mr. Flinn. With the loquacious one he is as gentle as a lamb, suave but firm.

"That is not a point of order," said the Speaker sweetly. "It is a gross misstatement, and the deputy must withdraw it at once."

Mr. Flinn—The deputy will not withdraw.

Immediately Mr. Cosgrave rose and calmly moved "That Deputy Flinn be suspended from the service of the Dail," whereupon Mr. Flinn said, "and I have the greatest pleasure in seconding the motion."

BADLY STAGED.

He was anxious to be funny, but the effort was heavy and did not extract a laugh. A few minutes later the House divided on the suspension motion, which was carried. Mr. Flinn then left the House, and the Fianna Fail cheer which followed Mr. Corry's "Hip, hip, hooray," was a very thin effort, indeed. The onlooker felt that it was not at all satisfactory to Mr. Flinn, and that he would have preferred a more impressive and more dramatic exit.

LABOUR'S APPEAL.

A tedious discussion on the powers and rights of the Chair in its relation to the House followed, and in this the Speaker amply vindicated his position. The sanest contribution was that of Mr. T. J. O'Connell (Labour, S. Mayo). He thought that the Fianna Fail Party's suggestions of partiality on the part of the Chair were not deliberately wilful, but really the result of inexperience of parliamentary procedure. When their experience was riper, their regard for the decisions of the Chair would be more tolerant.

He quoted the experience of the Labour Party in the early days of the Dail, when Mr. Johnson had raised points of order against the Chair. Often the party felt that the decisions of the Chair should not have been given; but in their cooler moments they felt that the decisions could not have been otherwise.

A ripple of cheers followed Mr. O'Connell's remarks, and he added appealingly: "It is not creditable that these scenes should continue in the Dail. We should be jealous of the good name of the country's Parliament."

Mr. Blythe recalled that some years ago a certain Minister had demurred to the request of the Chair that he should withdraw a statement. The Minister concerned was informed that his suspension would be moved if he did not withdraw, and eventually he did. "I myself have had to withdraw on many occasions," added the Minister.

ADJOURNMENT SUGGESTED.

At this stage Mr. O'Connell (Labour) suggested that the debate on the motion should be postponed in view of "the present atmosphere of the House." To this Mr. Cosgrave agreed, but on conditions. "Deputies must regard the Speaker as the custodian of the rights of the Dail, and all parties must regard him as such.

"But, why," asked Captain Redmond (National League), "should it be necessary to ask for such an undertaking? It is a fundamental principle that deputies must abide by the ruling of the Chair."

There was further discussion, but the undertaking was not given, and consideration of the motion proceeded, Mr. de Valera declaring that it was both unwise and unnecessary. Messrs. Aiken, Gorey and Moore contributed short speeches, and were followed by Mr. Cosgrave, who declared that the Standing Order required in the motion would "add to the dignity, decorum and dispatch of business in the Dail."

MR. BOLAND SURPRISED.

Then Mr. G. Boland (F.F.) suggested that the President had a cut and dried scheme. This Mr. Cosgrave denied, and Mr. Boland retorted: "You know I am a member of the Committee myself."

"And a very useful member, too," rejoined Mr. Cosgrave; "very useful and competent. I wish all the members of his

IMPORTANT MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS.

In the Senate yesterday the Minister for Finance announced:—

That arrangements were being made to assess income tax on the actual income of the previous year;
That the Entertainment Tax would be remitted on "flapper" race meetings;
That it might be desirable to prohibit the importation of medicated wines.

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party could take such a detached view of things as the deputy."

This left Mr. Boland a little disconcerted. He could not be heard clearly, but he was understood to say, while the House roared with laughter: "How can I square myself with my own party now?"

SPEECHES AS BEFORE.

Finally, the motion was carried by 76 votes to 46. The Dail then took up the final debate on the Constitution (Amendment No. 6) Bill, which proposes that in future vacancies in the Senate shall be filled by the votes of the members of the Dail and the non-refiring members of the Senate.

Six Fianna Fail deputies made speeches in quick succession, but nothing more was said than was said during previous readings of the bill.

The seventh speaker—Mr. Sean Lemass—began by calling the Senate "a privileged clique" and "a privileged class." Growing tired of that, he began to twit the Government deputies, taking in turn Mr. Sheehy and Mr. Connolly. Finally he questioned the nationalist enthusiasm of the Minister for Agriculture, who retaliated with the question, "Don't you remember the good times we had at Ballykinlar?"

So Mr. Lemass went back to his original theme—the composition of the Senate, with its "dukes, earls, and British Army pensioners."

MR. COSGRAVE HITS BACK.

In a fighting speech Mr. Cosgrave defended the bill, and dubbed Mr. Lemass as "the deputy who had taken upon himself the mantle of every great orator of the past."

"One Senator, at least," he said, "was responsible for a very patriotic action as far back as 1917, although he was at that time serving in the British Army."

He pointed out that the Fianna Fail Party was not free from affiliations with the British Army, and appealed to the deputies opposite to broaden their minds and their outlook, and to realise that the best interests of the country were not served by the type of speeches that were being made by them.

That closed the debate, and the bill passed by 67 votes to 53.

"BARGAIN HUNTING."

The debate on the final stages of the Constitution (Amendment No. 13) Bill followed. The bill, together with the others in the same category, said Mr. de Valera, would bring about a clash between the two Houses—"the day would come when the Senate would be swept away."

Mr. Derrig (F.F.) followed with the allegation that the bill was "the outcome of a bargain"; and then Mr. Little (F.F.), who, referring to the small number of deputies present, aptly said that "the House was trembling on the verge of a quorum."

Mr. McDonagh (Government, Galway) took exception to the mentioning of his name by Mr. Little, and declared that he was "willing to meet the deputy anywhere." There was a note of seriousness in his voice. Mr. Little replied that he thought the best choice of venue would be the Dail itself.

Shortly after 9 o'clock the House divided on the bill, which was carried by 66 votes to 49.

The rest of the sitting was devoted to a dull, but useful, debate on the second stage of the Agricultural Credit Bill. This had not concluded when the adjournment was moved. On the motion for the adjournment Mr. Cassidy (Labour, Donegal), in an impassioned speech, charged the Government with neglect of the unemployed. The Minister for Finance replied, and the Dail adjourned till this morning.

STRANGE MOTOR ACCIDENT.

THREE PERSONS KILLED.

CAR RUNS INTO WIRE HAWSER.

Two women and a man were killed instantaneously yesterday evening in a motor car accident on the Oxford-Faringdon main road at Blackwater, near Tubney, Berkshire, when their car ran into a wire hawser which was stretched across the road.

The man, who was the driver of the car, had his neck broken, and the two women had their heads almost severed. One of them, Mrs. Gibbs, was the fifth daughter of the Ven. William Bruere Otter, Archdeacon of Lewes, and widow of Mr. Henry Martin Gibbs, who was the uncle of Lord Wroxall of Tyntesfield and of Major Evelyn Gibbs, who married Lady Helena Cambridge, a niece of the Queen. The other was Miss Alderson, Mrs. Gibbs's maid, who had been only recently engaged by her.

The chauffeur was a man named Gibson, and the car which he was driving was a large touring car.

HOW THE ACCIDENT OCCURRED.

The accident was a remarkable one. A tractor belonging to an Abingdon firm was hauling timber on to a waggon when the hawser between the two vehicles, which were on opposite sides of the road, caught the touring car as it was proceeding towards Kingston Bagpuze.

It struck the chaffeur and broke his neck, whipped Miss Alderson, who was sitting in the front seat, out on to the road, and then rebounding hit Mrs. H. M. Gibbs, of Barron Court, Flax-Bourton, Somerset, who was sitting behind her. The chauffeur was picked up dead, and both women were so dreadfully injured that they died almost immediately.

A doctor, who examined the car, found that it was in top gear.

"It must have been going at a good speed when it struck the hawser," he said. "The hawser must have been stretched across the road at a height of several feet. It apparently flattened out the wind screen, caught the chauffeur under the chin, and struck the heads of the two women."

BOMB EXPLOSION IN BROOKLYN.

SUPPOSED ACT OF REVENGE.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

NEW YORK, Thursday.

A bomb, believed to have been placed by a disappointed suitor, exploded in the back of the Brooklyn home of a wealthy Italian contractor early this morning. A hole was torn in the wall and every window in the house was shattered. The man and his wife and children were hurled from their beds by the force of the explosion, and the Italian section of Brooklyn was thrown into a state of panic. No one was seriously hurt.

The police are looking for a man who, about a month ago, asked the contractor's daughter to elope with him. The woman, who was already married and the mother of four children, indignantly rejected the proposal and shot the man, wounding him in the arm.

Special Services were conducted in Trinity United Presbyterian Church, Cork, last Sunday, to inaugurate the union which has taken place between the two congregations of Trinity and Queen street. The special preacher on the occasion was the Very Rev. Dr. Hanna, of Dublin, and the church was filled. Dr. Hanna congratulated both parties on the good-will shown during the negotiations, and assured them that the whole Church would honour them for the Christian and public-spirited way in which they had formed a strong, united church.

ROYAL BANK CLERKSHIPS.

Candidates should note that at the last examination pupils of ROSSE COLLEGE, Stephen's Green, gained 15 Appointments.—(Advt.)

YESTERDAY IN THE DAIL.

PROTECTING THE SPEAKER.

COMMITTEE TO REVISE THE STANDING ORDERS.

MINISTER'S TRIBUTE TO IRISH UNIONISTS.

A Fianna Fail deputy, Mr. H. Flinn, was suspended from the service of Dail Eireann yesterday, owing to his refusal to withdraw a remark directed against the Speaker.

The House adopted by 69 votes to 44 a motion by President Cosgrave: "That the Committee on Procedure and Privileges be instructed to draw up for consideration of the Dail a Standing Order, or Standing Orders, dealing specifically with deputies who bring the House into contempt by disorderly conduct towards the Chair."

Constitution Amending Bills Nos. 6 and 13 passed their fifth stage, and the second reading of the Agricultural Credits Bill was passed.

President COSGRAVE, at the conclusion of questions, moved: "That the Committee on Procedure and Privileges be instructed to draw up for the consideration of the Dail a Standing Order, or Standing Orders, dealing specifically with deputies who bring the House into contempt by disorderly conduct towards the chair."

He said that the existing Standing Orders made provision for dealing with disorderly conduct on the part of a deputy towards another, but not specifically against the Speaker. The necessity having arisen, it was necessary to have it now considered. The present disciplinary measures were entirely inadequate to meet disorderly conduct towards the chair. As to what the procedure should be, it was a matter for consideration by the committee, and then for the House when the recommendations came up. It had always been the view of the House that the chair must be protected from innuendo, insinuation, or direct personal abuse. The occupant of the chair must not be attacked for the way he discharges his functions, except by the method indicated in the Orders.

Mr. DE VALERA asked was such a motion in order. The first notice they got of it was on the previous day.

The SPEAKER said that the motion was one concerning the business of the House, and the chair had the option to accept it without four days' notice, and he decided to do so.

DEPUTY SUSPENDED.

Mr. DE VALERA—It is not an urgent matter, and could it not possibly remain over? For instance, we are of opinion that the whole question of the chair might be dealt with at the same time.

Mr. H. FLINN (Fianna Fail, Cork City) rose to a point of order. He said that in accepting this motion at a time when the House had no time to deal with it in an orderly or legal manner, according to Standing Orders, the Speaker was deliberately invading the liberties and rights of the ordinary members of the House——

The SPEAKER—That is not a point of order. It is a gross mistatement of the facts, and the deputy must withdraw it at once.

Mr. FLINN—The deputy will not withdraw.

The SPEAKER—Then all I can do is to leave the deputy's conduct to the House.

President COSGRAVE—I move that the deputy be suspended from the service of this House.

Mr. FLINN—I have great pleasure in seconding that. (Laughter, and "Hear, hear.")

On a division, Mr. Cosgrave's motion was carried by 69 votes to 44. Only the members of the Opposition voted against it.

The SPEAKER then requested Mr. Flinn to withdraw from the House.

Mr. FLINN rose, took up his attaché case, bowed to the Chair, and withdrew. He was loudly cheered by the Fianna Fail members.

When the House had quieted down,

Mr. LEMASS (Fianna Fail, Dublin South) asked if it was a matter of disorder to question the attitude of the Chair as to the Speaker's ruling in regard to the rights of private members.

The SPEAKER—The statement that the action of the Chair in accepting the motion of the President was a deliberate invasion of the rights and liberties of the members is a disorderly statement.

STATEMENT BY THE SPEAKER.

Mr. DE VALERA—Surely it ought to be in order to point out where the action of the Chair would invade the liberties of members.

Mr. O'CONNELL (Labour, Mayo South) said that when a deputy was asked to withdraw a statement, and refused to do so, it was well known that it was disorderly.

The SPEAKER—The deputy stated: "You are deliberately invading the rights of private members." That was not a point of order. He (Speaker) had not concluded his remarks on the point of order raised by Deputy de Valera. Mr. de Valera's point was perfectly clear, and they could get the decision of the House upon it now. The Speaker and Deputy Speaker were appointed by the Dail to perform certain functions laid down by Standing Orders. They had to exercise their own best judgment, and had frequently had to decide without any notice very difficult matters, and sometimes in very difficult circumstances. When these decisions were given they ought to be accepted. Clearly there was a possibility of error, and that possibility was not denied, nor was the probability of error denied, and no claim from the Chair was ever made as to infallibility. The position was that the decision of the Chair, once having been given, must be accepted. The Chair should not be subjected to accusations except on motion.

The Speaker added that he was not unprepared to make way at any time for a successor, and there was no claim for permanency. His sole desire was that the position of the Chair should not be made impossible. (Hear, hear.)

Mr. DE VALERA said that it seemed to him, in the case of Deputy Flinn, he was bringing before the Chair the aspect of the case that in accepting the motion without the usual notice, he (the Speaker) was, in his opinion, infringing the rights of members.

The SPEAKER—He said that, in accepting this motion, the Chair was deliberately invading the rights of members.. No member of this House can make that accusation except on a motion.

IMPARTIALITY OF THE CHAIR.

Mr. DE VALERA said that there had been, and still was, a feeling in his party that the rulings of the Chair had not been impartial.

The SPEAKER said that the occupant of the Chair was attached to no party.

Mr. DE VALERA said that he quite understood the difficulty of the Chair, and the only attitude they could expect was impartiality from the Chair.

Mr. O'CONNELL said that he was inclined to think that this feeling in the Fianna Fail Party's mind was due to inexperience of Parliamentary procedure, and when they were longer in the House that feeling would disappear.

They should always be jealous of the good name of the Parliament of this country. The nice little distinctions which existed in their minds as to what the Dail stood for were not understood outside the country.

INEXPERIENCED OPPOSITION.

Mr. BLYTHE, Minister for Finance, mentioned that some time ago a Minister made a statement which the Chair asked him to withdraw. The Minister demurred, and the House was adjourned, and the Minister was informed that unless the statement objected to was withdrawn the President would have no option but to move his suspension. On the reassembly of the House that particular Minister withdrew the statement to which objection had been made. He mentioned this to show that what had happened in the case of Deputy Flinn would have followed in the case of a Minister. So far as he was concerned, he had been called upon to withdraw statements which he thought proper, but which the speaker objected to, and he had accepted the decision of the Chair. There was no bias in the matter. Deputies opposite had little experience of Parliamentary procedure, and had not given sufficient attention to the matter, or they would not feel aggrieved. If they wanted to do so they could put down a motion for the removal of the Speaker and have it debated.

Mr. O'CONNELL thought that discussion of the motion should be postponed for calmer consideration to-day, and suggested that all parties give an undertaking to respect the decisions of the Chair.

President COSGRAVE said that the Speaker was the custodian of the rights of the members, and his authority must be recognised and respected. He would be disposed to agree to the suggested postponement if members opposite would agree to respect the decisions of the Chair.

NOT DONE ELSEWHERE.

Captain REDMOND (Ind., Waterford) deprecated the suggestion that it should be necessary to give an undertaking to abide by the decisions of the chair. He regarded it as fundamental that deputies who came into that House should abide by the decision of the Chair. He had had experience of being dissatisfied with the decisions of chairmen in other assemblies. If the business of the House was to be carried on there was only one way of doing it—that was, by obedience to the Speaker. The suggestion that deputies at any time should have the right to question the decision of the Chair was one that would not be tolerated in any deliberative assembly in the world.

Mr. DE VALERA said that the present Standing Orders seemed to be sufficient for dealing with any disorder. It was foolish to give the Chair more powers than it had at present.

The SPEAKER pointed out that if there was objection to the ruling of the Chair it was possible for aggrieved members to put down a motion and have the matter discussed.

Mr. O'CONNELL did not agree that the object of the motion was to give the Speaker greater powers.

Mr. G. BOLAND (F.F., Roscommon) said that it would be far more honest if the President put the scheme arrived at before the House.

Mr. AIKEN said that the resolution did not ask the Committee directly to report on a measure to deal with Deputies who acted in a disorderly manner towards the Chair. Such a motion, he said, should not contain any argument, but should be in the simplest form, and he would like to know if it were in order.

The SPEAKER replied in the affirmative.

SPEAKER'S POLITICAL VIEWS.

Mr. AIKEN said that they would like it to be recognised more definitely that the occupant of the Chair should be governed by the Standing Orders and also by the Constitution. They did not hold that the Speaker could be an angel, above all parties and not a member of any political party. The Speaker was elected a member of the House because he had certain political views, and that should be recognised, and he should not be put in the impossible position of "make-believe" that he had no political views.

The SPEAKER—Nobody ever suggested that the Speaker has no political views.

Mr. AIKEN—I am glad to hear that. Or political party affiliations?

The SPEAKER—No. Political views are one thing and political party affiliations another.

Mr. AIKEN said he thought the best thing would be to have it recognised that whoever was in the Chair had political opinions, and was entitled to them. They believed that the proper way would be to ask the Committee on Procedure to draw up a scheme, which would empower whoever might be in the Chair to exercise his vote on all occasions. That would do away with the pretence that the occupant of the Chair had no political views or affiliations. All that they would ask was that he would give fair and impartial judgments. If that were done it would enable the Speaker to act in a much fairer and more impartial manner.

Mr. GOREY (Government, Carlow-Kilkenny) said that the Standing Orders when framed had never contemplated the conduct that they had witnessed last week. It was a different matter altogether to an attack on the Chair. "In my opinion," he went on, "there is no difference between the disorder of last week and that of Deputy Flinn to-day——"

The SPEAKER—We are not discussing that.

A NON-PARTY QUESTION.

President COSGRAVE said that the House would make its own rules and regulations. The consideration of these would be for the Committee, who would deal with them in an orthodox manner and the Committee was representative of all sections in the House. He would strongly advise that the matter be considered apart from party or other considerations, so that they would have such regulations as would add to their dignity, decorum, and to despatch of business in the House.

Mr. G. BOLAND—Does the President suggest that they have not already a scheme to deal with it?

President COSGRAVE said that they not only had not a scheme, but no suggestions had been made. It was a matter for the Committee, and then the House.

Mr. BOLAND—I am a member of the Committee.

Mr. COSGRAVE—You are and a capable one. (Laughter.)

On a division the President's original motion was carried by 76 votes to 46.

CONSTITUTION (AMENDMENT NO. 6) BILL.

On the question that the Constitution (Amendment No. 6) Bill, 1928, be passed,

Dr. O'DOWD (F.F., Roscommon) said that before the House came to a final decision on this matter he would ask the Government Party to reconsider their decision. He said that they were entrenching imperialism firmly in this country.

Dr. RYAN (F.F., Wexford) said that the bill gave undue preference to a certain section of the people in this country who had a 50 per cent. representation in the Senate.

Mr. LEMASS said that the object of the bill was to give authority and real power in this State to the privileged class, which had been, and always would be, opposed to the Irish nation.

President COSGRAVE said that they had heard a good deal about landlordism, and the old order and a new form of nationalism was preached. He wondered did Deputies opposite who talked in that way ever read Thomas Davis or did they ever hear of Griffith. He contended that every expression of the kind he alluded to by Deputies opposite showed completely that they had no conception of the great national heroes that they had had in this country. He had seen a better conception of nationality develop in the last few years than any of the people before him had anticipated or hoped for. There were men in the Senate who, when the country required money, did all that men could possibly do to establish the credit of the country.

Within the past few weeks he had a visit from an American judge, with a letter of introduction from a friend of the party opposite, and he had told him (the President) that their proposals in connection with the Senate were sound, and that they should go ahead with them. The Deputies opposite concerned themselves first with opposition to the Government to get rid of the Government, but he would suggest that they get the Government out of their minds and consider what they themselves would do if faced with the same problem.

PATRIOTISM IN THE SENATE.

For something like fifty years a contest had gone on in connection with land. There were two parties to it, but it happened, as in many other contests in this country, that issues were introduced which divided the people. All that matter was over and done with, and the people in the Senate were of the people of this country, and they ought to be mobilised in connection with any national advancement. During the past few years measures had been introduced by the Minister for Agriculture, and they had been strengthened and improved in the Senate.

If they had had discussions of the same character on that measure in the Dail as they had in the Senate it would have been better for the Dail. They should not imagine for a moment that all the wisdom was in one party. This country required the help of all its citizens and servants, and it did not lie with any section to pour odium or contumely on another, and the fact that the people in the Senate had come in to give their aid in moulding legislation——

Mr. DE VALERA—To put themselves in a position of privilege?

President COSGRAVE—If we examine that particular statement in relation to the deputy's utterances in this House, and assuming that the senators have no right to vote, the deputy's party would be responsible for the election of eight senators, and if the members of the Senate at the present time were included the number would be six. So that the deputy loses two, and it is in respect of the loss of two senators we have had all this discussion here.

Outside that eight, he continued, there was one representative in the Senate who was responsible for a very patriotic action in the country so far back as 1917, although at that time he occupied a position in the British Army. The party opposite was not free from affiliations with the British Army, if his information was correct, and mere attachment to any particular party did not designate patriotism. He advised deputies to broaden their outlook, and to realise that the best interests of the country were not going to be served by the speeches they had had on the measure.

On a division, the fifth stage was carried by 67 votes to 53.

CONSTITUTION (AMENDMENT NO. 13) BILL.

President COSGRAVE moved the fifth stage of the Constitution (Amendment No. 13) Bill, which extends the period in which the Senate may hold up a bill to 18 months.

Mr. DE VALERA said that he would have more confidence in the protestations of the President on No. 6 Bill if the members of the Senate were not his friends. The people would soon see behind the veil of Davis which the President was trying to shroud himself in. There was no question on the Fianna Fail benches of not wishing to give every citizen equal rights, but they did not stand for privilege. In standing for these bills the Executive Council was being unfaithful to the people and the Dail, and they were pursuing a course that would result in a bigger clash than there need be. They were setting up a dam before a tide that would sweep it away.

Mr. DERRIG (F.F., Carlow-Kilkenny) asked was the Executive not prepared to leave the whole question of the future of the Senate to the open vote of the Irish people.

Mr. LITTLE (F.F., Waterford), opposing the bill, remarked that none of the Government deputies thought it worth their while to express their views. He would like to know Deputy McDonagh's reasons why he was going to vote for the bill.

Mr. McDONAGH (Government, Galway)—I hold as good a position in this country as does Mr. Little, and he has no right to refer to me. I am as useful a citizen as he is. We have too much of this, and the sooner it is stopped the better.

Mr. LITTLE—We would like to hear Mr. McDonagh's views.

Mr. McDONAGH (heatedly)—This sort of blackguardism ought to stop. It is wasting the time of the House. I am prepared to meet Deputy Little either inside or outside the House.

The DEPUTY SPEAKER intervened, and said that Deputy McDonagh could reply if he felt aggrieved.

Mr. FAHY (F.F., Galway) said that he agreed with the President that the members of the Senate, and those whom they represented, were Irishmen, and he would like to see them getting place and power, if they fell in with the national aspirations of the Irish nation. Did the Government believe that increasing the powers of the Senate was going to help towards the realisation of a Gaelic Ireland?

MR. HOGAN IN SCATHING MOOD.

Mr. HOGAN, Minister for Agriculture, said they had heard a great deal about national aspirations, but the people had been asked what were their aspirations three or four times, and on each occasion they stated quite clearly what they were. It was not for Deputy Fahy to talk about the Senate not falling in with national aspirations.

Mr. FAHY—Was it not the programme of the Cumann na nGaedheal that Ireland should be a Gaelic Ireland?

Mr. HOGAN said that was introducing a red herring. His understanding of nationality was different from the deputies opposite. "Realise once and for all," he said, "that we are independent in this country. It is because you do not know what independence is, and because you have no real independence in your blood, that this is going on. Surely any deputy on the other side who is honest must realise that there can be no interference in any matter, political, economic, or social, by the English in this country, and that the masters are here on these benches, such as they are."

Their business was to make every man in this country an Irishman, and it was positively disgusting to listen to sectarian and sectional attacks on certain people in the country. It was not Sinn Féin, and no one knew that better than the deputies on the other side, and it never was Sinn Féin.

TRIBUTE TO UNIONISTS.

"I am not afraid," continued Mr. Hogan, "to give what you call the Unionists fair play, full rights and representation, and I would go further and say this—that they have contributed brains, ability, energy, and enthusiasm, and money to this country. I remember what the people you call Southern Unionists have done for Acts like the Congested Produce Acts, the Live Stock Breeding Act and the Land Act, and how they have remedied defects in the bills and carried out honestly and sincerely the functions of a Second Chamber; and then I hear them lightly referred to as anti-Irish and not understanding the national aspirations of the country. Supposing they were not Gaelic Leaguers—a lot of us are not ——"

Mr. FAHY—I did not ask them to be.

Mr. HOGAN—Supposing their conception of a Gaelic State is not Deputy Fahy's. What do you think is going to change their minds? Showing that a Gaelic State can not only be Gaelic but efficient.

Continuing, the Minister said that he wanted to see a Gaelic State built up here, but they would never get anyone to realise what it might be until the plain Irish people made a success of it and stopped talking about politics and issues that were unreal. The one thing that would stand out from all this obstruction and debate was that there was an attack made on the conception of Irish nationalism that Wolfe Tone, Davis and Mitchell and others held.

THE SLAVE MIND.

President COSGRAVE said that Deputy de Valera had stated that the bill was to strengthen the Cumann na nGaedheal Party because it would benefit his (President's) friends, and also that the same alliance existed here as between Tories and the House of Lords. He made the deputy a present of these elaborate and illuminating arguments. They denoted the slave mind which Deputy de Valera and every member of his party had. It was an effort to bring the people back to the days when there was no political freedom, and the differences of thirty or forty years ago.

The bill was passed by 68 votes to 49.

AGRICULTURAL CREDITS BILL.

On the second reading of the Agricultural Credits Bill,

Mr. HOGAN, Minister for Agriculture, said that the bill provided that a mortgage in favour of the Agricultural Credit Corporation should take priority over equities. This was essential if farmers seeking small loans could get them without going to the expense—which would range from £5 to £30—of arranging equities. The work of the Corporation would be held up because a farmer seeking a small loan would not go to the expense or put up with the delay involved in having to go through this process.

Mr. MOORE (F.F., Wicklow) said that the bill did not apply to lands not vested in the Land Commission. There was a considerable amount of this land in the country, and he could not see why the small farmers should be excluded.

Mr. KENNEDY (F.F., Westmeath) said that his experience was that there was too much of the conservative spirit of banking in the work of the Agricultural Corporation.

Mr. O'REILLY (F.F., Westmeath) said that he expected that another bill to follow this would be necessary to complete it and bring about at least a certain amount of benefit to the farming community. The idea of the Credit Corporation was a good one, but he feared that the particular system adopted had been largely influenced by the banking profession in the country.

The restrictions imposed were too severe, and there were too many precautions taken to ensure the success of the Corporation.

Mr. JASPER WOLFE (Ind., West Cork) said that what had happened in connection with the Bill was that, when the original Bill was passed, the Agricultural Credit Corporation, owing to the peculiar system of land registry, was threatened with what was known as foot-and-mouth disease, and the Minister had brought forward this Bill as a tonic and a cure. It was a measure for which the country was calling.

Mr. AIRD (Govt., Leix-Offaly) said that the Bill was one which should have a speedy passage through the House. It was one which would be welcomed by every section of the community.

At 10.30 progress was reported.

The House adjourned until 3 p.m. to-day.

CORK INFANTICIDE CHARGE.

GRANDMOTHER ACCUSED OF THE CRIME.

GIRL ACQUITTED.

A case of alleged infanticide, heard at the Central Criminal Court, Dublin, yesterday, took a remarkable turn. The child's body was found in a boghole at Mintina, near Kanturk, County Cork; the skull was fractured and the internal organs dissected, in order, it was suggested by counsel for the State, to make it difficult, if not impossible, to prove that the child had lived. The mother, a young domestic servant named Hannah Lenihan, was charged with the murder, and was found not guilty, having sworn that the child was born alive, and that it was killed by her grandmother, who had the body hidden and gave her £1 "not to tell."

The grandmother now will be charged, and the mother of the child will be called upon to give evidence against her.

The indictment against the girl charged her with the murder of her unnamed female child on the 18th January last. She was defended by Mr. Art O'Connor (instructed by Mr. Campbell); while Mr. W. Carrigan, K.C., and Mr. Dudley White, K.C. (instructed by the State Solicitor), appeared for the prosecution.

DISSECTED ORGANS.

Mr. Carrigan, in opening the case, said that the murder was carried out in a deliberate and shocking manner, and one would have imagined that there could not be human ghouls among them capable of perpetrating such a crime.

Superintendent Joseph Devine said that when he questioned the girl she at first made a denial, but afterwards she made a statement accusing her grandmother.

Mr. Justice Hanna—Do you know of the existence of any superstition in the neighbourhood?—No.

£1 "NOT TO TELL."

The case for the prosecution having closed, The prisoner, examined by Mr. O'Connor, described being questioned by the Guards about the baby, and her denial and afterwards her admission.

What induced you to make that admission?—My grandmother told me.

The witness said that she gave birth to her baby on New Year's night, when her grandmother was with her, and she saw the baby dead on the floor.

Mr. Justice Hanna—Had you anything to do with taking it from the house and putting it in the bog hole?—No. My grandmother told me about it.

To Mr. Carrigan—What I have now told is the truth. The baby was born alive.

Mr. Justice Hanna—You know that your grandmother will be prosecuted for this, and that you will have to give evidence against her?—Yes.

ACQUITTED.

Mr. O'Connor then addressed the jury for the prisoner, urging that they could not possibly convict his client of this crime of murder on the evidence.

Mr. Carrigan did not reply on the part of the State.

Mr. Justice Hanna, in charging the jury, said that it was a matter of extreme pleasure to him in having assigned counsel in this most serious case that Mr. O'Connor had conducted the defence with such consumate ability and without putting forward one unnecessary word. He believed confidently that Mr. O'Connor had taken his place in the ranks of a profession to which he was certain to prove an ornament.

The jury, after a few minutes' consideration, returned with a verdict of "Not guilty."

Mr. Justice Hanna—I quite approve of that verdict.

The Court adjourned until next Tuesday morning at 10.30 o'clock.

BREMEN AIRMEN IN LIMERICK.

(Continued from Page 7, Column 5.)

Major Fitzmaurice apologised to the Mayor, the Reception Committee and the citizens of Limerick for the fact that the airmen were not able to spend a longer time in Limerick. He was sorry that Captain Köhl was not able to be with them—sorry for Captain Köhl because of the wonderful reception he had missed. Having mentioned that although he was from Dublin himself his people came from Limerick, Major Fitzmaurice said they had their German-Irish combination, which was fraught with great good for the future of Ireland. It was for the future that they were all working, and he believed that they would yet see Ireland one of the happiest and best little countries in the world.

THE BARON'S TRIBUTE.

Baron Von Huenefeld, who also replied, said that he was very happy to be with them—happy because he knew that many, many countrymen of his own had found home and work in their city, and for that they were very grateful. The story of his country and the story of Ireland were very much the same. They were very wonderful stories. This, he said, was to be his farewell speech. They would never forget the interest and the welcome extended to them by the Irish National Army and the Irish people. He was very proud that the Irish Army had presented him with a sword, because he thought that every time that it was necessary and possible they would in future fight together for the best ideals in the world. To-morrow he would go back to his own country, but he would never forget the Green Isle and the Irish people, and that one of its soldiers was his *kamerad*, James Fitzmaurice.

The train left for Dublin at 12.30 this morning.

NORTHERN REVENUE CASE.

PRODUCE FIRM'S LOSS.

In the King's Bench Division, Belfast, judgment was delivered in the case stated by the Recorder of Belfast, in which the Commissioners of Inland Revenue were the appellants, and the respondents Messrs. Hugh T. Barrie, Ltd., produce merchants, Belfast.

The matter came before the Court on appeal by way of a case stated by the Recorder over-ruling a determination of the Commissioners of Inland Revenue as to the amount of the deficiency for excess profits duty sustained by the respondent company during the accounting period ending 30th June, 1921.

The case arose out of the rescission of a contract for bags by Messrs. Barrie at a loss to them, and the Lord Chief Justice, in giving his judgment, said that he gave his reasons with a certain amount of diffidence. The case was a border line one, and he had the misfortune to differ from his colleague, Mr. Justice Brown, whose knowledge of the intricacies of book-keeping was so much greater than his own. The question for them was whether the loss under the agreement of the 4th August could be referred back to the accounting period prior to June 30th, not for any legal or commercial purpose, but for that of attracting an exemption under the Revenue Statutes. In his opinion and in that sense this loss did not fall within the accounting period. He could not hold that the determination of the contract was on the same footing as payment on delivery of goods under it, and was of opinion that the loss was incurred under the new and substituted agreement, therefore the loss could not be brought as a deduction into the accounting period.

Mr. Justice Brown said that the Recorder stated that the sole question propounded for him was—at what date, whether before or after June 30th; 1921, a loss arising out of a certain contract should be considered to have been sustained by the respondent company. He was of opinion that the loss was made or incurred by a trading transaction, and that the Recorder was right in holding that it must be included in the accounting period. As he differed, however, with the Lord Chief Justice, and being the junior judge, he formally withdrew his judgment.

The question of costs was left over for consideration by Mr. E. S. Murphy, K.C., who appeared for the respondents. The Attorney-General, K.C., and Mr. G. Dougherty represented the Inland Revenue Commissioners.

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(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

NEW YORK, Thursday.

Stocks opened strong, and the easier monetary conditions stimulated an advance, in which nearly a score of issues reached new "highs." The sudden death of the Belgian financier, M. Alfred Loewenstein, had no visible effect on prices on the Stock Exchange. In the final trading, despite some realising, in which Case Threshing Machine reacted sharply from its early high level, further considerable advances occurred.

Money on call closed easy at 5 per cent. bid and 5¼ per cent. asked. Business done during the day ranged from 5 to 6 per cent., with 6 per cent. the ruling rate. The last loan was made at 5 per cent. Prime Mercantile Paper was quoted at 4¾ to 5 per cent. Sterling exchange steady. Silver ¼c. lower at 59¼.

	Thur.	Tues
Call Money	5b. 5⅛a	5b. 5⅛a
Exchange on Lon.—60 days sight	4.83⅛	4.83⅛
Do. do. Demand Bills	4.86⅛	4.87
Cable Transfers	4.87⅛	4.87⅛
Do. Montreal	4.88⅛	4.88⅛
Exchange Paris cable	3.92⅛	3.92⅛

Eng. Parity	Stocks.	Thur.	Tues
194⅜	Atchison, Topeka, Santa Fe	189½	188
107⅝	Do. Pref.	104½	104⅝
110⅛	Baltimore and Ohio	106	106¼
212½	Canadian Pacific	207	204
35⅛	Chicago, Milwaukee, & St. Paul.	34⅞	34¾
85⅝	Chicago and North-West	83½	82
55⅜	Erie Shares	53½	53½
55⅛	Erie 1st Preferred	54¼	53⅛
140⅛	Illinois Central	137	135½
150⅝	Louisville and Nashville	147	146
37⅛	Missouri, Kansas, and Texas	36⅛	35⅝
66½	Missouri Pacific New	64⅝	63½
6⅛	Nat. Mexico 1st Pref.	6¼	6⅛
177⅞	New York Central & Hudson R.	172½	171
183¼	Norfolk and West Com.	177½	177
99⅛	Northern Pacific Com.	96½	96
87⅛	Pennsylvania Shares	85⅝	84⅞
103⅜	Reading Shares	101	101
44¼	Do. Pref.	43⅛	42⅛
125⅛	Southern Pacific	122¾	121½
151⅝	Southern Railway	146½	146½
200¼	Union Pacific	193	194
88⅝	Do. Pref.	86	86
100⅛	American Can. (New Stock)	89⅝	88⅞
200¼	American Smelt. and Refining.	196	192¼
70⅞	Anaconda Copper	68⅝	68½
19¼	Anglo-American Oil	18⅝	18½
57⅛	Bethlehem Steel Com. Stock	56¼	55⅜
29¼	Brit-American Tobacco Coupon	28½	28½
157⅜	New York Consolidated Gas	153½	152⅞
192⅛	General Electric (New Stock)	155	152
107⅝	General Motors (New)	102⅝	101⅝
4⅞	Inter. Mer. Marine Com. Certs.	4⅝	4⅞
37⅜	Do. Pref. Certs.	36¼	37⅛
40⅛	International Prs. of Canada	39	39
122⅜	National Lead	120¼	120¼
43¼	Pan-American Petroleum "B"	42⅝	43
51	Shell Transport and Trading	49¼	49¾
27⅝	Shell Union Oil Corp.	27	26¾
30⅛	U.S. Rubber	29¼	29¼
143⅛	United States Steel Common	139½	139¼
144⅛	Do. Pref.	141	140
—	Silver Commercial Bars	59½	59⅜
	BONDS.		
97⅛	Atch. Top. New 4 % Gen. Mort.	94⅝	95
84⅛	Erie Rail. Gen. 4 % Lien Bonds	82½	82
86⅛	Union Pacific 4 % Bonds	85¼	85¾
110⅛	U.S. Steel 2nd Mort. 5 % Bonds.	107¼	108
121⅛	U.K. 5½ per cent. Bonds, 1929..	118⅝	119
107⅛	Do. do. 1937..	105	104¾
90	U.K. Funding Loan	87¾	87¾
108¼	7 per cent. German Loan	106⅞	106½

* Asked; † Ex div.; ‡ Ex interest; ‖ Ex rights.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE.

Eng Equiv.	Stocks and Shares.	Clos'g Prices Thur.	Wed
64⅛	Abitibi Power & Paper Co., Ltd.	62½	63
33⅝	Asbestos Corp. of Canada, Ltd.	32¾	32
93⅞	Do. Pref.	91¾	91¾
60½	Brazilian T. L. & P. Co., Ltd.	59⅛	60
8½	Brit. Empire Steel Corp., Ltd.	5	5
43¼	Do. 1st Preference Series B.	42¼	42
8⅛	Do. 2nd Preference	8½	8
67⅜	Brompton Pulp & Paper Co., Ltd.	48¼	47
123⅞	Canadian Cottons Co., Ltd.	121	121
45⅛	Canadian Indus. Alcohol Co.	44	45½
37⅛	Canada Power & Paper Corp.	36¼	36
39⅝	Canada Steamships Lines, Ltd.	39	39
97¼	Do. New 6 p.c.	95½	95¼

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A general view of Henley.

Dublin University eight finishing in the first heat of the Thames Cup. They were beaten by Thames R.C.

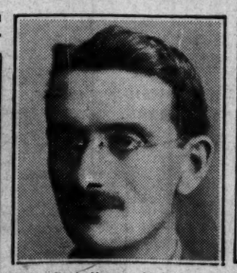
Chief Superintendent McCarthy driving off during the Civic Guard Golf Meeting, which was held at the Castle Links, Rathfarnham, yesterday.

Mr. J. Dudley Stuart, who has been appointed Traffic Manager of the Dublin United Tramways Company. Mr. Stuart is well-known in Irish athletic circles.

ATLANTIC FLIERS' VISIT TO DR. BYRNE. Picture shows:—Captain Köhl, Herr von Dehn, His Grace the Most Rev. Dr. Byrne, Major James Fitzmaurice and Baron von Huenefeld.

A general view of the Garden Party given by Herr von Dehn (German Consul-General), in honour of the Bremen's crew, in Dublin yesterday.

INDIAN PRINCES AT THE CENOTAPH.—The Maharaja of Kashmir and the Nawab of Palanpur deposited wreaths at the Cenotaph in London on Wednesday.



Dr. R. J. Hayes, who has been appointed to represent the Free State Minister for Local Government and Public Health at the International Cancer Convention in London.

Baron von Huenefeld and Major Fitzmaurice leaving Dublin yesterday by special train for Limerick.

Senorita de Alvarez, who is suffering from laryngitis, and will be unable to play Miss Helen Wills in the final of the Ladies' Championship at Wimbledon until tomorrow.

SUMMER CLASS IN IRISH AT TRINITY COLLEGE, DUBLIN.

...S DISPUTE IN ...ERY TRADE.

...RENCE IN DUBLIN TO-DAY.

...time past efforts have been ... part of the Dublin Master ...btain a reduction of wages ...ct of bread-van drivers and ...rs, but without success. Now ...been issued that a "cut" ...in operation this week-end. ...nounce that they will resist.

...that as far back as Septem... master bakers asked the ...gree to a reduction in wages, ...f the fact that three different ...concerned, it was impossible ... The Free State Ministry of ...d Commerce intervened in ...27; but its efforts were ...apparently, for the same ...

...erstood that the Ministry is ... action, and that the parties ...have been invited to a ...o be held to-day.

...sed "cut" in respect of the ...rivers, who receive 81s. per ...wards, is 5s. on the first pay ...; 3s. in September, and 3s. ...

Indoor workers' wages are ...d *pro rata*, except the bakers, ... involved, inasmuch as they ..., by agreement, accepted a ...*per* week.

...25,000 bags of Cuban at 4.36 for ...t.
...dy. Spot, extra loose, 8¼.
...N. spot, 45½.
...E—Spot, 56½; Savannah, spot, 50½; ...raits Tin steady; spot 12¹⁄₂ points ... and nearby New York, 46.12½; ...August, 45.62½. Lead steady and ...t New York, 6.30; East St. Louis, ...dy and unchanged; spot East St. ...Pig Iron steady; Northern No. 2 ...nace Eastern Pennsylvania, 20.00; ...delivery Boston), 20.45 by rail.

...INNIPEG GRAINS.
...ed steady, ⅜c. to ⅜c. up. Good ...stimated at a million and a half ... of which was credited as being ...ether with higher Manitoba offers ...nulated early advances. Then the ... under the influence of a bearish ...port concerning the crops in the ... The close was easy, with prices ...own. Opening options—July, 139½; ...Dec., 137⅜. Closing options—July, ...38; Dec., 135¼. Rye easy, 1¼c. ... Closing options—July, 114¼; Oct., ...regular and 1⅜c. up to 5c. down. ...s—July, 64; Oct., 54¼. Barley ... to 1⅜c. down. Closing options— ...ct., 75¼. Flaxseed easy at 3c. to ... Closing options—July, 187¾; Oct.,

(carlots).	To-day.	Prev. day
...ern	2	2
...ern	25	54
...ern	99	283
...ern	58	142
... ...	164	418
...tal	348	899

...W YORK COTTON.

...ened steady, 15 to 20 points higher ...dle advices, but soon eased under ...he advance was resumed later, ...cetation being given to the weekly ...t as showing conditions favourable ...estation. New Orleans buying met ... but subsequently buying by Wall ... rallied the market, which closed ... 50 points rise. Spot quiet and 40 ...

...ector and Gamble estimate the area ...120,000 acres, and the increase a ...

...ng upland at New York, 22.75. ...ng upland at New Orleans, 22.50. ...receipts—Atlantic ports, 1,000 bales; ...Pacific, nil; interior towns, 1,000. ...eat Britain, nil; Continent, 10,000 ... and China, nil.

...HICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Thursday.

...ened easy, ⅞c. down to 1⅛c. up. A ...te of 180,000,000 bushels for the ... together with heavy carlot receipts ...West and advices indicating that ... returns in sections of Illinois were ...an expected, created an easy tone ... the close values were 2½c. to 1⅞c. ...eady.

	To-day.	Prev. day
...ter, spot ...	142	—
...ter, spot ...	...	—

...g options—			
	July	Sept.	Dec.
... ...	137⅝	140⅝	144⅛
... ...	137⅝	141	144⅝

...steady at the opening and 7⅛c. to ...e market closed barely steady, 8⅛c. ...

...ined Western, 108⅞.

...options—	July	Sept.	Dec.
... ...	106⅞	101⅜	85½
... ...	104⅛	99¾	84⅞

...ptions—	July	Sept.	Dec.
... ...	84⅝	...	...
... ...	106¾	101⅝	85⅜
... ...	106	101⅜	85⅜

...steady at 1⅛c. to 5⅛c. loss.

...options—	July	Sept.	Dec.
... ...	54⅝	44¾	46⅛
... ...	54⅞	45⅛	46⅞

...c. to 13⅜c. down. No. 2 spot un...

...options—	July	Sept.	Dec.
... ...	120	115½	117½
... ...	120⅝	116⅞	118⅛

... opened steady, and prices ad... to the firmness at Liverpool and ...arket position. The closing was ...d futures 2½ to 5 points and spot ...d ribs 12½ to 27½ points higher. ...stern steam, spot, 12.05.

...tions—			
...ly	Sept.	Oct.	Dec.
...05	12.37½	12.55	12.65
...00	12.35	12.50	12.60

...ions—	July	Sept.	Dec.
...	12.50	13.00	13.17½
...	12.37½	12.80	12.90

...y. Short ribs, spot (60lbs. aver...

Light descriptions advanced 60 to ... heavy 25 to 55 points. Lights ... to 11.60; heavy-weights, 10.50 to ...

	To-day	Same day last year.
... ...	32,000	*51,000
...n Cities ...	95,000	*195,000

*Two days

...logs at fifteen principal Western ...g Chicago since March 1st, total ...ainst 9,853,000 same season last ...

Where Dirt is a Crime

The Norwegians regard dirt as a crime—and eight out of every ten families throughout Norway use Sunlight Soap.

In the great seaport of Bergen you will actually find it in *nine* homes out of ten.

But it was the women of Britain who first recognised, 40 years ago, the supreme purity and quality of Sunlight Soap. And where British women led, the whole world is following to-day. Everywhere the sales of Sunlight are increasing year by year—not only because it lathers so easily, washes so thoroughly, leaves the clothes and the house so sweet and fresh, but because Sunlight Soap is—to-day as it has ever been—the best and purest soap that money can buy.

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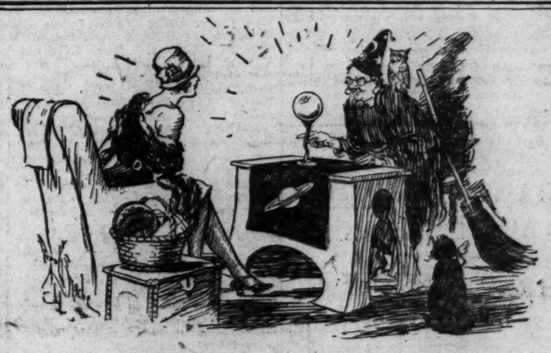
Used in 134 *different* countries.

S.566—180. LEVER BROTHERS LIMITED, PORT SUNLIGHT.



AT THE BAZAAR.

Amateur Fortune Teller (noticing tin of Cherry Blossom Boot Polish in basket): "I can tell you good news, Madam. You will have less colds, therefore better health; less doctor's bills, therefore more money to spend; while you and yours will look smarter than ever."

DOES THE LEATHER GOOD. Cherry Blossom Boot Polish

BRILLIANT AND WATERPROOF.

Black, Brown, Tonette, White. In Tins (with easy opening attachment), 2½d., 4½d. and 6d. each.

The Chiswick Polish Co., Ltd., Chiswick, W.4, Makers of the Celebrated

MANSION FLOOR POLISH.

Free Souvenirs
AT THE PHARMACY

MAGUIRE'S NEW PHARMACY, is giving these delightful free souvenirs to celebrate its opening—No. 87 Grafton Street—and to advertise itself and its merits, of course.

During the NEXT 10 DAYS each customer purchasing any goods to the value of 2/6 and upwards will be presented with a FREE SOUVENIR consisting of the choicely select goods made by:

ROGER & GALLET PARIS

You can make your own selection of FREE SOUVENIR. And this Souvenir Offer will be extended during the period mentioned to our old established PHARMACY in Talbot St. so that all customers there may share in the benefits offered.

During our Opening Week at 87 Grafton Street a special display of Roger & Gallet's delightful goods is being made, viz.: Pavots d'Argents, Fleur d'Amour, &c.

MAGUIRE'S PHARMACY, 87 GRAFTON STREET

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TERCENTENARY OF BUNYAN.

A committee, representing the various Churches of the Reformation, with the Archbishop of Dublin as chairman, has made preliminary arrangements for a great public celebration of the tercentenary of Bunyan, whose writings have done so much for the Christian religion and taken so high a place in English literature. The Rev. Dr. John A. Hutton, editor of the *British Weekly*, and previously Minister in succession of Belhaven Church, Glasgow, and Westminster Chapel, London, has been secured to give an address on Bunyan. The celebration in Dublin will be held in the Round Room of the Mansion House, on Thursday, 22nd November, next.

THE DONEGAL FEIS.

At a meeting of the Donegal Executive Feis Committee at Letterkenny dissatisfaction was expressed at the train arrangements on the part of the Lough Swilly Railway Company on the second day of the feis. It was unanimously agreed that the feis next year would have to be a three-days' fixture. It was suggested that the Cardinal O'Donnell Memorial should take the form of a Feis Hall.

ANOTHER BRITISH TRIUMPH! In the French Motor Cycle Grand Prix, June 20th, 1928, the 500 c.c. class was won by Stanley Woods, NORTON, and the 250 c.c. class by S. A. Crabtree, EXCELSIOR-J.A.P. Both used Wakefield CASTROL—the product of an all-British Firm.—[Advt.]

PROSPECTUS.

ABRIDGED PROSPECTUS.

The List will be Closed on or before TUESDAY, JULY 10th, 1928.

CITY OF BRISBANE,

STATE OF QUEENSLAND, COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA.

ISSUE OF £1,500,000 5 PER CENT. STOCK, 1950-1960.

PRICE OF ISSUE, £95 10s. PER CENT.

Interest payable 1st March and 1st September.

Six Months' Interest payable 1st March, 1929.

Principal will be repaid in London at par, on 1st September, 1960, the Council having the option of redemption at par, in whole or in part, on or after 1st September, 1950, on giving three months' notice.

The Commonwealth Bank of Australia is authorised by the Brisbane City Council to receive subscriptions for the above Stock at £95 10/- per cent., payable as follows:—

£5 0 0 per cent. on Application.
£20 10 0 " " " 19th July, 1928.
£35 0 0 " " " 29th August, 1928.
£35 0 0 " " " 9th October, 1928.
£95 10 0

The Loan is issued to provide funds for the establishment and construction of the Water Supply and Sewerage Service.

The Loan is secured upon the corporate rates and revenues of the City, from whatever source arising.

An annual Cumulative Sinking Fund of 1 per cent., per annum will be paid to the Trustees of the City Debts Redemption Fund, and applied to the purchase of this Loan at or below par, and if not obtainable at that price the money will be used in the purchase of other Australian Securities on the London Market.

Brisbane, the capital of Queensland, has an estimated population of 260,000.

The City is an amalgamation of two cities, six towns, ten shires, and parts of two other shires, the amalgamation dating from 1st October, 1925. In addition to control of other municipal enterprises, the Council owns all the Tramways in the metropolitan area and also the Metropolitan Water Supply and Sewerage Board, which was taken over by the Council as from 2nd April, 1928.

Rates are levied on the unimproved capital value, and there is no limit of rating. The rate levied this year is 1s5d. in the £ on general lands and 7½d. in the £ on rural lands. The annual rate is £966,562.

Existing Loans amount to £15,551,311, of which £4,480,911 is due to the Queensland Government.

The above Loans include £2,900,000 borrowed in connection with the taking over of the Brisbane Tramways and extensions and additions to same.

The revenue of the City for year 1927 was £2,782,252 and the expenditure £2,924,554, including Sinking Fund payments.

The Stock will be registered at the Commonwealth Bank of Australia, 36-41 New Broad street, London, E.C.2, and will be transferable in any amount not involving fractions of £1 by deed, free of stamp duty.

Applications on the prescribed form will be received at the Commonwealth Bank of Australia, 36-41 New Broad street, London, E.C.2, and must be for not less than £100 Stock, and in multiples of £100, and be accompanied by a deposit of £5 per cent. on the nominal amount applied for.

Payment in full may be made after allotment, and discount at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum will be allowed from 16th July, 1928, or from any subsequent date.

A commission of ½% per £100 of Stock will be paid to bankers and stockbrokers on allotments made in respect of applications bearing their stamp.

Full Prospectuses and Forms of Application may be obtained from the Commonwealth Bank of Australia, 36-41 New Broad street, London, E.C.2, or from Messrs. R. Nivison and Co., Bank Buildings, Princes street, London, E.C.2.

Commonwealth Bank of Australia,
36-41 New Broad street,
London, E.C.2.
6th July, 1928.

THIS FORM MAY BE USED.

Application No. ..... Allotment No. .....

CITY OF BRISBANE 5 PER CENT. STOCK, 1950-1960. (30)

ISSUE OF £1,000,000 AT £95 10/- PER CENT.

To the Commonwealth Bank of Australia, 36-41 New Broad street, London, E.C.2.:

GENTLEMEN,—I/we hereby apply for £..... say .....of the City of Brisbane 5 per Cent. Loan, 1950-1960, according to the Prospectus of 6th July, 1928, and undertake to pay £95 10/- for every £100 of Stock, and to accept the same or any less amount that may be allotted to me/us, and to pay for the same in conformity with the terms of the said Prospectus.

I/we enclose the required deposit of £..... being £5 per cent. on the nominal amount applied for.

ORDINARY SIGNATURE .....

FULL NAME (Block Letters) .....

(State whether Mr., Mrs. or Miss, and title, if any)

ADDRESS .....

.....July, 1928.

PLEASE WRITE DISTINCTLY.

N.B.—Applications must be for multiples of £100, and must be accompanied by the amount of deposit thereon.

Cheques should be made payable to bearer, and should be crossed thus— .....
Commonwealth Bank of Australia,
a/c Brisbane Loan.

DEALINGS IN LONDON MARKET.

The followings dealings among active Stocks and Shares were marked in London yesterday:—

Consols—55⅞, 15/16, 15/16, 5/8, 53⅝. **5 p.c. War Loan**—101⅝, ½, 1952, ⅝, 1732, 11/16. **4 p.c. War Loan**—100 15/16, 15/16, ¾, ⅞. **Funding Loan**—90¾, 9/16, 11/16, ½, 7/16. **Conversion Loan 3½ p.c.**—78¼, ⅜, 11/32, 7/16, 5/16, ¼, 9/32. **4 p.c. Consols**—86 11/16, ¾, 7/16, 5/8, 11/32. **Australia 5 p.c. Stock**—99, 8/16, ⅝, 15/16. **African and Eastern**—25/-. **Allied Newspapers Ord.**—53/9, 5/6, 5/11½. **Amalgamated Press** (x.d.)—26/3, 5/, 9d. **Anglo-Dutch Rubber**—32/-, 6d., 7½d. **Associated Cement**—24.3, 4½d., ⅜/8, 10½d., 4/-, 3d. **Associated Newspapers Def.**—8/6, ¾, 15/16. **Beyril Def.**—4⅜/-, 4½d. **Bradley's (Chepstow)**—56/9, 5/9, 6/3½. **Brazilian Traction**—93½, ¾, ⅜, 60, 59, ⅝, ¾. **British-American Tobacco**—116/10½, 6d., 10½d., 17/-, 3d., 9/16/-, 15/9, 16/3. **British Celanese**—77/6, 6/10½, 9/4½, 8/1½, 5/7½, 80/-, 76/6¾, 3d., 8/9. **British Match Ord.**—31/9, 7½d., 6d., 4/3d. **British Oil and Cake**—31/4½, 9d., 3d. **Buenos Ayres Great Southern**—101⅛, ¼, ⅜, 2, 1¾, ⅝, 3/4, 1¼. **Calico Printers**—29/6, **Canadian Pacific**—211, 10, 9½, ¾, 10⅝, ¼, ¾, 9/-. **Central Argentine Corp.**—21½, ¾, ¾, 21½, ⅝, 1, 90¾, ⅞. **Coats** (x.d.)—68/-, ⅝, 8/1½, 7/-, 6d., 4½d. **Courtaulds**—89/4½, 8/9, 90/-, 89/9¾, 8/9¾, 6d., 7/9¾, 6/10½, ⅝/9, 3d., 9/8¼, 8/5¼. **Cross and Blackwell**—7/5¼, 4½d., 6d. **Crystalate Gramophone**—5/6, 4/11½, **Dunlop Ord.**—31/-, 1½d., 3d., 30/9, 10½d.; **do. Debentures**—77½, ⅞. **Daily Mail Trust**—5, 132, 4⅛, 5⅛, £4 19/6. **Daily Mirror Ord.**—36/-, 3d., 7/3. **Dunlop Ord.**—28/-, 4½d., 6d., ⅝, 6d., 7½d., 10½d., ⅝9d., 8/1½; **do. "C" Pref.**—25/3, 4/10½; **do. 6 p.c. Debs.** (x.d.)—103. **Dunlop Plantations**—80/6, 7½d., 9d. **East Asiatic Rubber**—1/9. **Elder-Dempster 6 p.c. Pref.**—18/1½, 3d., 7½d. **English Sewing Cotton**—54/-, 5/-, 3/9. **Fine Cotton Spinners**—49/3, 6d. **General Electric**—40/-, 39/10½, 9d., 40/-, 9d., 7/9; **do. Debs.**—107. **German 7 p.c. External Loan**—101⅝, ¼, ⅜. **Grand Central Rubber**—23/6, 3/-. **Great Western Rail**—36, ½, 58, ⅞, ½, 61, 58¼, ¼, 57⅝, 58; **do. 5 p.c. Pref.**—95, ½, 96. **Greek 7 p.c. Refugee**—100, ⅜, ¼, 99¾. **Gumbes Ord.**—6⅜, 7½, 12½, 9, ¼, 6, 15. **Harland and Wolff Pref.**—15/9, 16/-, 3d., 11d. **Harrods Ord.**—73/9, 4/-, 3d. **Highlands Rubber**—31/6. **Hudson's Bay Ordinary** (x.d. and b.)—52⅝, ⅜, ½. **Hungarian 7½ per cent., 1924**—104, ¼. **Imperial Chemical Ord.**—36/10½, 9d., 37/-, 6d., 11¼d., 7½d., 6d., 37/3, 6d.; **ditto Def.**—19/7½, 6d., 81d., 11¼d., 11/-, 13/-. **Imperial Tobacco**—3¼, 3d., 9d., 3/5/6, 10½d., 9d., 6/3½d., 14/6. **International Holdings**—135, 45, 50, 15, 20, 100, 7, 44, 10½, 28, 101, 3½, 47. **Inveresk Paper**—85/-, 4/4½, 5/7½, 3/9, **Lever 7 p.c. Pref.** (x.d.)—23/3, 4/9, 3d., 10½d., 1/-, 8/2½d., 5/3¼. **Linton Ord.**—9/3, 4½d., 4½d., 10/-, 3d., 9/6, 4½d., 7/3d. **Lister Ord.**—29/-, 3d., 8/6. **London Asiatic Rubber**—4/2½d., 4½d. **London Midland and Scottish Ord.**—59¼, 59⅝, ¾, ⅝, 60⅛, 59⅝, ¾, ⅛, ½, 13/16, ¾, ⅝. **London and N.E. Pref.-Ord.**—245/-, 5, ½, ⅛, ⅜, 47/8, ¾, ⅝, ¼, ⅛, ½, ⅝, 14½, ⅛, ½, ⅝. **London and N.E. Def.-Ord.**—113⅛, ⅝, ⅜, ¼, ½, ⅝. **Lyons (J.) and Co. Ord.** (x.d.)—96/3, 101/6d. **Malayalam Rubber**—30/7½, 1½d., 9d., 30/-. **Marconi Ord.**—64/6, 7½d., 3d., 3/9, 6d., 3d., 5/-, 5d., 9d., 4/9d., 5/-, 8d., 5/-, 7½d., 4/11½, 9d., 5/7½; **ditto Debs.**—150, 5/4, 5/-; **ditto Marine—ditto Canada**—25/3, 11½d., 6d., 4/6. **Marine Union Ord.**—37/-, 2/6, 3d., 2/-, 3/6, 4½d., 11½d., 3d. **Maypole Def.**—5/5, 3½d. **Metropolitan Rail**—67, 6½, 7½, ¼, 7⅛. **Metropolitan District—Parent Ord.**—21/-; **ditto Def.**—41/-, 3d., 7½d., 6d., 39/6. **Peruvian Corporation Pref.**—5⅝, ⅞, 5⅝. **Phillips (Godfrey) Ord.**—40/7½, 1/-, 39/4½, 2, **and Q. 5 p.c. Debs.**—100¼. **Provincial Cinema Theatres**—20/6, 1/-, 2d. **Rubber Trust**—32/7½, 4½d., 6d., 5d. **Smithfield Ord.**—24/6, ⅛, 13/-, 6d. **Southern Rail Pref. Ord.**—50, 49¾, ½, ⅜, ⅝, ½, ⅝; **ditto Def. Ord.**—31⅞, ¾, 21¾, ¼, 21⅝, ⅝. **Sudan Plantations**—81/7½, 6½d., 80/4½, 1/3, 10/5½. **Sunday Pictorial Ord.**—47⅜, ⅝, 11⅜, 15⅝, £4 16⅛, 42⅝, **Swedish Match**—8⅞, ¾, 23, 8⅝, ¼, ⅜, 24⅜, ⅞, 3⅜. **Underground Electric Rail.**—129, 8, ¼, 8½, 8¼, 7½, 7, 6¼, 6. **United Cold Storage 6 p.c. Pref.**—30/6, 6d., 9d., 7½d. **United Dairies**—33/-, 6d., 6d., 7½d. **United of Havana Ord.**—7⅛, 6d. **United Premier Oil and Cake**—3/11, 10½d., 6d. **United Serpang Rubber**—4/3½, 4½d. **United Tobacco** (x.d.)—88/9, **Vickers**—11/10½, 9d., 11/4d., 7½d. **Vino Products Def.**—30/3, 4. **Westminster Bank**—15/8, ⅜, ⅝, 20, 1/-.

(*Exceptional bargain at special price.)

INSURANCE SHARES.

BUSINESS DONE IN LONDON.—Alliance New, 22½, 3; Atlas, 142½, ½; Commercial Union, 28¾, 1½, 9, 8¾; Eagle Star (x.d.), 15/6, 13; General Accident, 123½, ½, ¾, £13, 15/6, 123½; Guardian, 111½; London and Lancashire, 31⅞, ¾; North British, 36¼; Northern Assurance, 175½, ½, ¾, £17 6/9; Prudential, 12¾, 13¼, 2½, 2⅝; Pearl, 119; Royal Exchange, 6¾, ¾, 7⅛, ⅝; Royal Insurance, 9, ¼, £9, 1/4½, 9¼; Scottish Union, £18 0/3; Sun Insurance, 395, £39 13/-; Sun Life (x.d.), £56 15/9, 55¾; World Auxiliary, 67/9.

BUSINESS DONE IN LIVERPOOL.—Commercial Union, 28⅞; Employers' Liability, 80/-, 79/6; General Accident, Fire and Life, 18/6; Guardian Assurance, 11, 10⅝; London and Lancashire, 31⅛; London & Provincial Marine, 101; North British and Mercantile, 36¼, 9d., 6/9; Northern Assurance, £17 6/-, 6/6, 7/6; Royal Insurance, 9⅝, ¼, ⅝, ⅜; Scottish Union, 15, 14½; Sun Insurance, 39¾.

FINANCIAL NEWS AND NOTES.

TONE AND COMMENT.

DUBLIN FLUCTUATING.

GUINNESS AGAIN EXCITED.

The Stock Markets opened depressed on further sale pressure, aided by the accidental death of a noted International financial magnate, but buying orders were well balanced, and after absorbing all shares offered at "slumping" levels, further strong support was offered, and in some notable cases prices recovered even more quickly than they declined. The Guinness Market opened apparently all sellers, but the supply was all taken mainly for the London market, and a scramble for shares set in. The opening price was 4 lower at 40½, and the price was pressed back to 40, ½, ½, ½, ½, ½. Fresh buyers did not fare so well, as 40¾, ½ followed, and at the later session the quotation jumped, without intermediate price, to 41½, and after hours 42 and 42½ was paid, or an actual recovery of 1s. 6d. a share on the day. Marconis opened weak at a further decline, but later on substantial support was given, and the price more than recovered the lost ground. Several of the leaders in the Manufacturing Group, like Imperial Tobaccos and Courtaulds, also opened at declines, but buyers later turned the market upwards. Better prices were current for the Funds, both British and Local, and Dublin Corporation 5 p.c. further rose sharply. Bank of Ireland Stock established a fresh rise on persistent "cash" support. British and Irish Steam Pref. closed firm. Support for Home Rails turned up, and, as usual, sellers became shy. Great Southern Ord. and Debs. advanced, but the Guaranteed Stock was again lower. Dublin United Tram Ord. rallied a little. Big dealing took place in Imperial Tobaccos at lower prices, but an initial fall in "Bats" was made good. Coats and Cotton Ord. were less firm. Television Shares were again bid for, with Internationals up to 10s. 6d. Photomaton Shares fell back further.

LONDON HEAVY.

INTERNATIONAL HOLDINGS GROUP SLUMP.

Confusion reigned in the London Stock Markets in the early hours yesterday following the announcement of the death of Captain Alfred Loewenstein, the Belgian financier, and in some instances prices quoted were fully fifty per cent. below those ruling at the close on the previous day. Thus, Hydro Electric dropped abruptly from 51½ to 25, while International Holdings fell away to 115 at one time. There was, however, some recovery later in the day. With regard to the latter, it is interesting to recall that, less than a month ago, the quotation stood at 330. Apart from these two outstanding features, Industrials generally were inclined to sag. Quiet conditions prevailed in the Gilt-edged section, and the final levels were practically without exception the same as on Wednesday. There was also very little going on in Foreign Government Stocks, but here and there lower rates were returned, Peruvian Corps. easing further, while Chinese 4½ per cent. and German and Poland Sevens were all put lower. Home Rails remained a weak market, and further losses were marked throughout the list. Underground Ord., however, were held at their higher level. A further decline also took place among Colonial and Foreign Rails. Central Argentines went off sharply, as did the Buenos Ayres issues, while Mexican Rails and Entre Rios also finished below their overnight values.

Apart from those shares affected by the International Holdings collapse, there was little going on in Industrials, although, generally speaking, prices were easier. Gramophone descriptions sought lower levels, as did Textiles and Artsilks, while Commercial Motor Shares were easier on a little profit-taking. Tobaccos were another dull spot, while elsewhere Match Ords. and United Molasses and Dunlops were put lower. Oils also displayed a weaker tendency, and among Mines, Kaffirs were irregular, while Tins were lower where altered.

COURTAULD'S INTERIM DIVIDEND RAISED.

Courtauld's interim dividend was announced last night at 5 per cent. actual (1s. per share) on the new capital of £24,000,000. Last year the interim was 7½ per cent. (1s. 6d. per share) on £12,000,000; so that the dividend is increased by 2½ per cent. This year the interim dividend will absorb £1,200,000, as against £900,000 last year. The final dividend for 1927 was 3s. 6d. per share.

SCOTTISH AMALGAMATED SILKS, LTD.

The Glasgow Financial Trust, Ltd., announces that the list in connection with the issue of 3,700,000 Preferred Ordinary shares of 5s. each and 7,400,000 Deferred shares of 1s. each at par for Scottish Amalgamated Silks, Ltd., was closed at 3 p.m. yesterday (Thursday). Country and Continental applications, however, received first post to-day (Friday) will be considered. The prospectus appeared in the *Irish Times* on Tuesday.

A NEW INVENTION LINKING SIGHT AND SOUND.

That the genius of British inventors has achieved something which the whole American film industry has vainly strived after for years. The coming of the phototone means that before long every village picture hall in the kingdom will be able to give its audiences exactly the same musical accompaniment and "effects" as the most expensive West End cinemas, with very little cost to the cinema proprietors. For those who have their own cinema projectors at home there is an inexpensive pick-a-tone, to serve the same purpose and made to work in conjunction with the existing household gramophone.

BREWERY'S BUMPER RESULTS.

An increase of £125,000 in the profits, before charging Debenture interest, is shown in the report of Hoare and Co., Limited (The Red Lion Brewery), for the year to April 18 last. Last year's profit of £502,005, however, included only six and a half months' trading of the City of London Brewery properties, which were purchased late in August, 1926, whereas the present accounts include not only twelve months' trading of those properties, but also three months' trading of the properties of the Commercial Brewery Company, which were purchased during the past year. The report states that the results can be considered highly satisfactory. As was announced on June 20 last, the final dividend proposed is 12 per cent., making 19 per cent.

IMPERIAL CHEMICALS.

Shareholders entitled to subscribe for new shares in Imperial Chemical Industries, Ltd., on bonus terms, are reminded that this is the last day on which the forms of application may be lodged. After to-day the rights will lapse.

BANK OF ENGLAND RETURN.

DECREASE IN PUBLIC DEPOSITS.

Owing to an expansion of £910,000 in note circulation, the Bank of England reserve is only about £231,000 higher. End of the half-year borrowing by the market is not fully indicated by the increase of nearly £19,000,000 in the other securities owing to the repayments on the first three working days of this week. The Government securities are £2,000,000 lower, while there is a decrease of fully £4,000,000 in the public deposits. The private deposits are £21,236,000 higher for the week at nearly £127,000,000. Because of this movement mainly the proportion of reserve to liabilities has fallen fully 4½ to 33½ per cent.

RUBBER CROPS FOR JUNE.

Durian Sebatang, 15,500; Eaglehurst, 27,660; Gadjah, 50,500; Harewood, 45,351; Jabi, 23,885; Johore, 38,000; Kilan-Kellan, 25,782; Lochmaben, 18,500; Merah, 21,100; Serdang, 4,500; Sungei Gettah, 36,000; Tebing, 29,000; Tunghurst, 18,000.

TIN OUTPUTS FOR JUNE.

Kent (F.M.S.) Tin Dredging, 54 tons of tin ore; Penekalan, 27 tons of tin ore; Tekka, 45 tons of tin ore.

GOLD PROFITS FOR JUNE.

Meyer and Charlton, £1,586; Van Ryn Gold Mines, £14,304; West Rand Consolidated, £6,305.

INDUSTRIAL MARKET.

RALLY IN GUINNESS.

SENSATIONAL MOVEMENTS IN INTERNATIONAL HOLDINGS.

Some sensational movements were witnessed in the Industrial Market yesterday, following the announcement of Captain Loewenstein's death. International Holdings and Hydro-Electric were the two shares mostly affected, and at one time it was very difficult to deal, but on a reassuring statement being issued in the afternoon a steadier tendency developed, and prices closed well above the lowest. International Holdings dipped at one time to 100, and eventually finished with a net decline of 70 at 145, with Hydro-Electrics closing 11 points down on balance at 40, after being down to 23. Other Canadian-American issues moved in sympathy. Brazilian Traction Common gave way to 58 on one occasion, but recovered finally to 60½, with Dorcsions Common marked down 2½ to 58½. Mexico Trams lost 2 at 32½, but Shawinigans closed firm at 99. Talking Machine issues reflected the unsettled tendency noticeable at the opening, but prices steadied in the final dealings. Victors improved from 89½ to 91½, with Columbia Graphophones closing at 13½ after 13; Gramophones at 11⅞ after 10⅝, and Duophones 3½ after 3⅜. Vocalions were only slightly easier on balance at 2⅛; Edison Bell Ordinary at 1½; Vocalion (Foreign) at 1½; British Brunswicks at 14s.; Goodsons at 7s. 9d., and Dominion Gramophones at 5s. 6d.

Artificial Silks and Textiles also showed a certain amount of hesitation at first, but rallied later. British Celanese Ordinary opened at 3⅞, but closed buyers at 4, which left them ⅛ better on balance, the Preference closing at 43s. after 42s. Both American and Canadian Celanese Common finished unaltered. Courtaulds recovered to 4½ bid after being down to 4¼. After business hours the company announced an interim dividend of 1s. per share, free of tax, on the increased capital. British Enkas gave way to 2¼; Snia Viscosa to 34s. 9d.; Nuera Ordinary to 1⅜, and the Deferred to 1⅛; but British Acetate Ordinary hardened further to 10s. 6d., and the Deferred to 6s. 3d. Glanstoff finished at 5⅞ after being 6¼.

Of the Textiles, J. and P. Coats closed buyers at 67s. 3d., after 67s., Fine Spinners at 49s. 6d., Listers at 28s. 6d., and Wardles at 3⅜. In Stores, Catering and Food Supply shares, Margarine Unions reacted at first to 42s. 9d., but rallied before the close to 43s. 1½d.

Iron and Steel descriptions generally remained on the dull side. Mond Nickels slipped back to 8⅜, closing with a net loss of ⅛ at 8⅜. Bengal Iron receded to 25s. 3d., Babcocks to 67s. 9d., and Cargo Fleets to 12s. 6d. Support, however, was given to Wm. Cory at 58s. and Hadfields at 18s. 3d.

Weakness was displayed by some of the Shipping issues, noticeably Royal Mails, which, on reported forced sales, were marked down 9 to 67½, the 5 per cent. Preference losing 2 at 75½. Furness Withy were offered around 38s. 6d., and British Oil Shipping at 22s. 6d. Insurance shares were inclined to be easier.

Breweries had an irregular appearance. Bass Ordinary came on offer at 71s. 9d., and Walney Deferred at 30⅜, but buyers came forward for Guinness, which rallied 10 to 420. Tobaccos generally were marked down. Both "Bats" at 116s. 6d. and "Imps" at 113s. 9d. lost 9d., with Cameras ⅛ down at 17½.

Cable securities had a fairly steady appearance without much variation on balance. Of the Wireless issues, Marconis weakened further at first to 63s. 6d., but recovered smartly in the later dealings, being finally 2s. 9d. to the good on balance at 67s. 3d. The Debentures hardened to 157½, but the Preference closed on the dull side at 4⅜. Canadian Marconis shed 6d. at 25s. 6d.

Land and Investment shares drooped, Hudson's Bay closing at 5⅞, Sudans at 4½, Electrical generally maintained a steady appearance, but Newspapers were again on offer, Associated Deferred at 8⅜, "Mirrors" at 36s. 3d., "Pictorials" at 4⅜, and Allieds at 2⅜.

In other directions, United Molasses gave way at first to 90s. 9d., but recovered later to 92s. Kreuger and Toll eased to 30⅛. Imperial Chemicals Ordinary receded to 36s. 9d. and Dunlops to 27s. 10½d.

OIL SHARES MARKED DOWN.

In common with most other departments of the Stock Exchange, the Oil share market had a heavy appearance at the commencement of business yesterday following the news of the death of Captain Loewenstein. Although this section of the "House" is not directly affected, fears existed that the heavy fall in the Loewenstein stocks might lead to selling here, and, therefore, prices generally were marked down, mainly as a precautionary measure. Among the recognised leaders Shells gave way at one time to 5½, but a moderate demand in the later dealings quickly restored the price to the overnight's level of 5⅝. The Bearer shares were quoted ex the final dividend for the past year of 3s. per share, closing at 5⅝ ex dividend. Royal Dutch, after having been cleared at 33½, left off unchanged. Mexican Eagles at one period fell to 31s. 9d., but they hardened later to 32s. 3d., although this still left them 1s. 6d. down on the day; the 8 p.c. Participating Prefs. also declined 1s. 9d. to 31s. 9d. Anglo-Persians and Burmahs gave way ⅛ to 3⅜ and 4⅛ respectively. Venezuelan descriptions developed a dull tone. V.O.C. Holdings declined 3/8, the Dord. finishing at 4 and the Prefs. at 3⅜. Cosmos Petroleums touched 2⅛, and were finally ⅛ down at 2⅛, while British Controlled Common and Preferred weakened to 5s. 10½d. and 7s. 10½d. respectively. In the Trinidad group Apex lost ⅛ at 1½, Trinidad Leaseholds were down to a like extent at 3⅛, and Centrals gave way 6d. to 4s. In other directions Lobitos declined ⅛ to 2⅛. Anglo-Ecuadorians lost ⅛ at 1¼, and Kern Rivers fell 3d. to 8s. 9d.

RUBBER SHARES IDLE.

There was still very little business passing in the Rubber Share market, while quotations were again marked lower in several directions. Sumatra Consolidateds were a heavy spot, a loss of 3s. 9d. being marked on the day, while United Sua Betong at 58s. 1½d. and P.M.S. Plantations at 25s. were each 1s. 3d. easier. Kuala Lumpur also finished 1s 3d. down, as did Sapong, while Linggi dropped 1s. to 27s. 6d. In the commodity market spot and July fetched 9¾d. to 9¾d. per pound, while October to December sold 9¾d. to 9¾d. per pound.

PROVINCIAL EXCHANGES.

BIRMINGHAM.—Motors dull, Guys and Leylands weakened. Austins friendless, 15/- offered. Singers, Standard and Enfields improved. Dunlops quiet and dull. Austin Preference, 49/-; Components, 14/11½; 8½% Debs., 84/3; Guys, 30/9; Humbers, 19/3; Leylands, 29/9; Lucas, 99/3; Dennis, 72/6; Napiers, 55/6; Standards, 7/10½; Triumphs, 16/6; Dunlops, 28/-; Parents, Defd., 41/6.

MANCHESTER.—Textiles a dull market; several declines. Bleachers, 34/9-35/3; Calicos, 29/6-50/-; Bradford Dyers, 46/6-46/6; Sewing Cottons, 54/-58/-; Fine Spinners, 48/6-49/-; "Slubbers," 7/9-8/-; Coats, 67/-68/-; Velvets, 35/-26/-; Courtaulds, 88/9-90/-; Dunlops, 27/9-28/5; Nuera Silk, 88/-, do. Def. 32/6; Celanese 78/9, do. Pref. 42/-; Turner and Newall, 75/-.

DUBLIN CORPORATION STOCK, 1950-1970.

NEW 5 PER CENT. ISSUE AT 95 PER CENT.

To-morrow the Dublin City Commissioners will consider a notice of motion regarding the creation and issue of "Dublin Corporation Five per Cent. Sterling Stock, 1950/1970." It is pointed out that the Minister for Local Government and Public Health has sanctioned the borrowing by the Dublin City Commissioners of £100,000 for Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts purposes, £450,000 for housing purposes, and £200,000 for electricity supply purposes. The notice of motion continues: "We do hereby create stock, to be called Dublin Corporation Five per Cent. Sterling Stock, 1950/1970, to be issued to the nominal amount of £800,000, calculated at the sale price to produce a net sum not exceeding £750,000. That such stock shall be issued at not less than ninety-five per cent., and shall bear interest at the rate of five pounds per annum, payable half-yearly on January 1 and July 1. That such stock shall be redeemable at par on July 1, 1970, the Dublin Corporation having the option of redemption at par in whole or in part on or after July 1, 1950, on giving three months' notice, and shall be transferable in books and not by deed. That agreements be entered into with the Commissioners of Inland Revenue in England and the Revenue Commissioners in Saorstat Eireann for payment to them of a composition for stamp duty on transfers of stock to be issued under this resolution."

LATEST CLOSING AND STREET PRICES.

BRITISH FUNDS, ETC.

	Closing.	Rise or fall.
Consols	55⅞ 56⅛	
War Loan, 4½ %	95⅝ 95¾	
Do. 5%	101⅛ 101¼	
Do. 4%	86⅞ 87⅛	
Do. (Tax Free)	100⅛ 100⅜	
Funding Loan	90¾ 91	
Victory Bonds	99⅛ 99⅜	
3½ % Conversion Loan	78¼ 78⅜	
2½ % Conversion Loan	56⅜ 56⅝	
5% Treasury Bonds	102⅜ 102⅝	
Irish Land 2½ %	57 58	
India 5%	93 94	
Do. 4½ %	81 82	
Do. 4%	77 78	+ ½
Do. 3½ %	67 68	
Local Loans 3%	101 102	
Sudan 4½ %	108 110	

COLONIAL GOVERNMENT STOCKS.

Australian Com. 5%	99 100	
Do. 4%	88 89	
British Col. 4½ 1941	99 100	
Canada 4% 1940-60	96 97	
Cape 3½ Cons.	80 81	
Ceylon 5%	100 101	
New South Wales 4½ % 1935-45	99 100	
Do. 4% 1933-53	90 91	
Do. 3½ % 1930-50	80 81	
New Zealand 4½ %	100 102	
Do. 4%	90 92	
Nigeria 6%	112 114	
Queensland 5½ % 1925-45	99 100	
Do. 5% 1946	99 100	
South Africa 5% 1923-45	100 101	
Do. 4%	90 91	
South Australian 5% 1932-42	101 102	
Do. 4%	87 89	
Victoria 5% 1932-42	100 102	
Do. 4% 1945-75	87 89	
Western Australia 5% 1933-53	100 102	
Do. 4% 1930-50	89 90	

BANKS.

Anglo-South American	6⅛ 6⅜	-1/16
Bank of Australasia	14⅞ 15⅜	
Bank of England	295 298	
Bank of Montreal	68 70	-1½
Bank of New South Wales	47/6 48/6	
Do. New Zealand	4⅜ 4½	
Barclay's A Shares	3⅛ 3⅜	
British Overseas	5⅛ 5⅜	
Canadian of Commerce	57 59	
Chartered of India	22 23½	
Hong Kong and Shanghai	137 140	
Lloyds	65½ 66½	+0½
Midland	6⅛ 6⅜	
National Discount 7%	10 10½	
National Provincial (£4 pd.)	14¼ 14¾	
Royal of Canada	73 75	
Standard of South Africa	15⅝ 16⅛	
Union of Australia	15⅞ 16¼	
Westminster Bank	19⅞ 20⅛	

FOREIGN BONDS.

M.U.—June 25.		
Argentine 5 p.c. 1886	99 101	
Do. 4 p.c. Recissionis	88 90	
Do. 5 p.c. 1910	99 101	
Austrian 4 p.c. Guar.	10⅛ 10⅜	
Belgian 4 p.c.	97 99	
Brazil 4 p.c. S. Eds.	57 59	
Do. Funding, 1908	64 66	
Do. 5 p.c. do 1914	70 72	
Chinese 5 p.c. 1896	74 76	
Do. 4½ p.c. 1895	74 76	
Do. 5 p.c. 1912	43 45	
Do. 5 p.c. Reorg. 1913	43 45	
Do. Imp. Rly. 5 p.c. Gld.	67 69	
Czecho-Slovakia Bonds	100 102	
Egyptian, Unified	84½ 86½	
French Loan	18 20	
Do. 4 p.c.	13¼ 14¼	
German 7 p.c.	99¼ 100⅛	
Greek 7 p.c.	19⅛ 20⅛	
Italian Rentes	18 20	
Japan 4 p.c., 1905	93 95	
Mexican 5 p.c. '99	42 45	
Do. 6 p.c. 10-Y. Treas.	40 45	
Peruvian Corporation	20¾ 21¼	
Do. Pref.	39½ 40½	
Do. Deb.	74 76	
Portuguese 3 p.c.	21 23	
Roumanian 4 p.c.	18 20	
Russian 4 p.c. Stg.	7 8	
Do. 5 p.c. 1906	7 8	
Do. 4 p.c. 1894	7 8	
Do. 4 p.c. Gold	7 8	
Do. 4 p.c. Cons.	7 8	
Do. 4 p.c. and Pref.	7 8	
Do. Defd.	1 2	
Do. 6 p.c. Cons. Pref.	1 2	
Do. 4 p.c. Cons. Pref.	1 2	
Do. 4 p.c. and Pref.	1 2	
Servian 5 p.c.	67 69	
Spanish 4 p.c.	67 69	
Do. Defd.	13 15	
Uruguay 5 p.c.	97 99	
Do. 4½ p.c.	87 89	
Do. 4 p.c.	77 79	
Do. Defd.	22 24	

BRITISH RAILS.

Great Western	85 86	-1
Do. Cons. Pref.	85 88	
Do. Def. & Ord.	80 82	-½
Do. 4 p.c. Pref.	89 90	
Do. 5 p.c. Red. Pref.	103 105	-1
Do. 5 p.c. Red. Def.	73 75	+1
Lon. North-East. 5 p.c. Pref. Ord.	88 91	-1
Do. Def. Ord.	71 73	
Lon., Mid. & Scot. Ord.	59¾ 60	-⅛
Do. 4 p.c. Pref.	89 90	
Do. 5 p.c. Red. Pref.	103 105	
Do. 4 p.c. Red. Pref.	89 90	
Do. 4 p.c. Red. Def.	73 75	
Metropolitan	24½ 25½	
Do. Def. Ord.	11 12	-1
Do. 4 p.c. 1st Pref.	47 49	
Do. 4 p.c. 2nd Pref.	37 39	
Metropolitan District	21 22	
Do. Def. Ord.	8 9	
Do. 4 p.c. 1st Pref.	37 39	
Do. 4 p.c. 2nd Pref.	27 29	
Southern Pref. Ord.	31½ 32½	-½
Do. Def. Ord.	11 12	
Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	80 85	
Underground Elec. (21)	126⅞ 127⅜	-⅜
Do. Income Bonds	122 123	

COLONIAL AND FOREIGN RAILS.

Antofagasta	88 90	
Argentine G.W. Ord.	22½ 23½	
Bahia Blanca Guar. 5%	85½ 87½	
Buenos Ayres Gt. Sthn.	101 103	
Buenos Ayres Pacific	80 82	-1
Buenos Ayres and W.	80 82	-1½
Canadian National Guar.	67 69	
Canadian Pacific	209 211	
Central Argentine	21½ 22	
Do. Def.	88 90	
Central Uruguay	88½ 89½	
Cordoba Central	88 90	-1½
Do. 1st Pref.	89 91	
Do. 2nd Pref.	51½ 53½	-½
Entre Rios	81 83	-1
Do. 5 p.c. Cum. Pref.	82½ 84½	
Grand Trunk 4 p.c. Gnar.

COMPANY MEETING

in a few words. The site is a very one, and we see our way quite develop it successfully by the erec sidential flats, as other owners have y done in other parts of London, ple both in and out of the district form of development to any other, ossibility was referred to by Mr. meeting of the shareholders of the Estates, Ltd., as far back as this means we can realise the full he land, and obtain in addition a factory revenue upon our building e. It is a sound and practicable usiness which is well understood, see no difficulty in carrying it We would have proceeded with before now had it not been that a timental feeling exists that this d be preserved for some purpose to the main purpose of Thomas e founder of the Foundling charity, ould have thought, was a question the vendors of the property than purchasers, but, nevertheless, we very sympathetically to this idea. ned to you last year and the year t we had received no business pro- these lines, and quite recently we ed to point out that we could not to hold the property idle on the such plans maturing. This re- an offer being made, which in our below the vacant site value of the very far below its commercial value ompany. The offer has therefore ined, but the negotiations are not d we still have a genuine desire to wishes of those who are interesting in this public and benevolent

ficiity has brought me several com- s from shareholders, and their be summed up in an extract from which I will read. The writer, s not know, remarks that the business s and charity is charity. I am s," he says, "to manage my own to charity." I think the Foundling ion is one of business pure and d trust your board will deal with lines." From a strictly business we can hardly quarrel with that nevertheless, I trust the share- ll accord the directors a consider- it of latitude in the special cir- of this case. In no case, how- we consent to the sale of this Foundling Estate at a loss to our s.

AFRICAN PROPERTIES.

inue to receive satisfactory re- the Durban Property Com- which we have a predominant The bridge over the Umgeni separates the property y of Durban, has been completed, pened by the Earl of Athlone, neral of South Africa. This direct access to the estate, and thin twenty minutes' motor run e of the City of Durban. The foreshore have been secured, and in hand for improving this most ortion of the estate. It will be that the property consists of res of land running down to the f land have been maintained at a and the investment is working rily according to plan.

nly one other important invest- estate which I need mention. holds a substantial investment Debenture of Grand Buildings uare), Limited, and a controlling e Ordinary Shares of that com- old Grand Hotel is now being o up-to-date business offices and tuation, as you all know, is one commanding in London, and so described by Sir Robert Peel as site in Europe." The re- roperty has been valued at over and we have no doubt but that it be one of the most successful of undertakings of this class in

TRIAL INVESTMENTS.

to these real estate investments holders of many widely-spread estments, such as—in Debenture ference Shares—Denman Picture . Debentures, Hall Lewis Notes; Shares—Drapery Trust, Asso- e Properties, Beecham's Pills, r "C," Gaumont Pictures. y Shares we have important —Corporation and General sociated Fire Clay Companies, t Trust, Hoffmann Manufactur- International Tea Stores, Joseph . C. Stephens, Ltd., and others. y experiences the ups and downs estments which are usual in a his kind. During the last year our reverses as well as our nly one of these reverses was of an investment made several hich turned out unsatisfactorily, finally disposed of, and will more.

RACITE COLLIERIES.

nvestment in anthracite colliery has yielded no return beyond erest. The coal industry of the en passing through the painful anisation. That process became result of the recent upheaval in The war and the strike con- duced the number of men on generally by some hundreds of ny collieries having to shut omic grounds. There has been than was anticipated in the erity of the industry, but there the worst of the storm has been that conditions generally are The anthracite section of the rior securities of which we are ted, as well as in Ordinary ot been affected to quite the s the soft coal trade; but its en bad enough. Our collieries ollieries, although we are only ave recently been consolidated two adjoining concerns. As a amalgamation better working omies will be secured, and the e amalgamation will be realised on. When the amalgamation ough a considerable amount of l was contributed by ourselves reholders for the purpose of necessary capital expenditure, ries are now thoroughly well in a position to compete ll share of this valuable lly th... are among the finest ite district, and produce only coal—namely, first grade anthra- vein. While this company's been diminished by realisation have considered it prudent to e investment by a substantial the portion of the company's e has been applied for this

ESULTS SATISFACTORY.

thing with another, however, ve every reason to be satisfied s results, and, as stated in ith the general strengthening of the company which has While this improvement has , shareholders will understand shown would have been still not felt called upon to make out of the year's profits in e past transactions which rably.

ill also have gathered from the directors have been steady consolidation pro- view to the separation of the t of an investment trust one hand, which will be free a trading business, its invest- lished from year to year in and a finance company, on which will carry on its as a separate concern. We mpleted the necessary re- ir investments. The conver- nt Garden Company from usiness in part to real estate example of the nature of nts upon which we are a process must necessarily lete. In principle, however, ation of the investment and is aimed at, although the heme have not yet been They will be put forward an extraordinary meeting ed for this purpose in due uch pleasure in moving the port and accounts.

A.C.A., Managing Director, ion, which was agreed to

recommended in the report

ectors and auditors were e proceedings terminated anks to the chairman and

OUTPUTS.

HOLDS, LIMITED.—Oil pro- 38,750 tons. Oil purchased er companies, 25,500 tons. CATE.—Production for the 61,605 barrels, Creole's share

PRODUCE AND FOOD.

CATTLE.

DUBLIN METROPOLITAN CATTLE, North Circular road, Thursday.—A small reduction in supplies of both bovine and ovine stock, as compared with previous gathering, scarcely brought entrants down to normal seasonable register. The show in point of quality generally was of ordinary merit, and only a small percentage could be classed as strictly prime. About 10 per cent. of the cattle offered only were of real top or choice finished character, and sellers found no difficulty in cashing those fully par to, perhaps, occasionally the turn firmer on previous extreme currencies. About 25 per cent. of exhibits were just suitably mated to fit best average home and shipping interests, and these also got fairly satisfactorily negotiated inside former values; but coming to deal with remainder, 65 per cent. of plainer and coarse grades of bullocks and heifers, market was decidedly wobbly and less certain, in which buyers mostly secured concessions of a good 1s. per cwt., or maybe more towards wind-up, a clearance being hard to effect. Lambs of equal to prime class commanded a steady trade throughout, but no money was tenable. Inferior lambs irregular. The sheep market opened rather encouragingly for nice quality wethers and hoggets of handy weights in well-fed condition at prices tight up to last week's value, but after a couple of hours fairly terms became harder and harder to repeat, and generally dropped 2s. to 3s. per head. On the whole, a rather healthier tone dominated business; the shipping offtake particularly gave one the impression that much more was doing in that direction, and this impression was to some extent confirmed by the apparently fewer animals remaining to be dealt with at an advanced hour of the day. It might be stated with some reserve in the speculative sense that on the horizon of things there is a possibility of cattle in the near future being appreciatively affected in value if the attitude and report of a certain big chilled meat syndicate means anything, their dividend being reserved to combat with the sharp advance and dearer trend of prices for Argentine cattle, and United States markets, too, are getting dearer for ripe beef cattle. Sheep dipping certificates here will require more attention to avoid loss and great inconvenience.

	Numbers on sale this week, compared with last.	Corresponding weeks of 1927.	1926.
Beasts	3,586	‡219	3,178	3,423
Sheep and Lambs...	9,734	‡239	10,302	8,320
Veal Calves	12	—	12	15

‡ Decrease.

A fresh feature in the trade for cattle was reflected in the improved inquiry for big, well-finished bullocks for export; suitable Scotch super-grade meated and half-meated beasts, preferably blacks, also looked for. Top blacks realised 55s. to 57s. 6d., and one draft 60s. per cwt. Tip-top quality shorthorn cattle realised 52s. 6d. to 53s. and 54s.; best average run, 46s. to 50s.; plainer grades, 40s. to 45s.; choice young beef cows, 57s. 6d. to 60s.; fancy, 42s. 6d. to 44s.; useful fleshed lots of heavy cows, 32s. to 36s.; others difficult to quote for.

For prime sheep market opened fully par in value with last Thursday, but energy and stability of trade soon became exhausted after the pick of wethers and hoggets by leading buyers. Two hours after opening values collapsed 2s. to 3s. per head. Hoggets bid for up to 70s. and 75s. in the commencent afterwards could not be cashed 3s. per head less. Ewes particularly were hard, but those bid for around 60s. early could not be subsequently cashed down to 55s. per head. Choice mutton 10½d. to 11½d. per lb., medium sorts 9d. to 10d., inferior 6d. to 8½d. per lb. Lambs averaged 44s. to 50s. and 54s. for top lots on a steady market; medium sorts 32s. to 42s., others 20s. up. Useful quality lambs in demand; stores not wanted.

DUBLIN DAIRY CATTLE.—Market offered 351 head milch beasts. Trade generally improved and good promising fresh stockers more freely bid for. Northern and Cheshire shippers wanted prime heavy capacity cows and good type heifer milchers. Choice heavy cows £36 to £38 each, best average dairy stockers £19 to £25 and £26, others £12 to £17 and £18, heifers in milk £14 to £24, and prime of outstanding merit £25 to £26 and £27 each.

DUBLIN PIG.—Market continues of limited dimensions. This week's gathering totalled but 492 head. There was a keen demand for fine bacon hogs 10st. to 14st. weight at 82/- to 85/- or 86/- per cwt., over heavy 72/- to 77/6 per cwt., light stamp of porkers very cheaply and discouragingly bid for; prices most uncertain and up and down.

YORK.—Quite a large offer of Irish store cattle for time of year. With a good many well finished cattle trade was very fair. Hardly any English on offer. Rather more dairy cattle, with full attendance of buyers. Trade fairly brisk, and late prices maintained. Small show of sheep, and quiet trade at late rates.

BRISTOL.—Moderate supply. Beef, best, 105/- to 108/- per cwt. Mutton 14d. to 15d. per pound Lamb 15d. to 16d. 400 store cattle, and values easier. Irish cows up to £33 for extra.

BIRMINGHAM PIG.—Supplies limited, and a fairly active demand reported. Bacon pigs 16/- to 16/6, cutters 14/6 to 15/6, sows 10/-, all per score, dead weight.

GRAIN.

FLOATING GRAIN CARGOES.—BALTIC.—WHEAT—A firm tone governed the floating and forward cargo section, following firm American advices and Plate first-hand offers. Cbandoned descriptions being held for 6d. and Plates 7d. per quarter advance. White Pacific July quoted 52/9, August-September 51/3. No. 5 Northern Manitoba Atlantic shipment, last half July, 50/6. No. 2 hard winter Pacific shipment July-August, also August-September, 50/-. Rosafe 63lbs. August-September 50/-. Barusso ditto 50/9. Australian afloat 52/6, July 52/9, choice white Karachi afloat 62/6. Parcels in moderate request at 2d. to 6d. per quarter afloatward. No. 3 Northern Manitoba August sold 49/7½ per 480lbs., July 49/9 to Hull, Rosafe July 50/3 per 480lbs. Manitoba Atlantic shipment, July-August, 49/-. Plate steamers afloat sellers 40/6 to 42/6, as to size and position, ditto loading 39/-, 15th July 38/3, July 38½, August, September, 37/3. No. 5 yellow African bulk August 37/6. Parcels in fair request, and market firmer. Plate May-June sold 39/3, June-July sold 36/10½, to 37/3. July-August 36/1½ to 36/4½, August-September, also September-October, 36/1½; the Helena, 4,200 tons shipment, not later than 12th July, sold 38/6 per 480lbs. BARLEY steady, but inactive. Parcels of No. 3 Canadian Western 15th July sellers 36/6, November 34/-, Karachi June-July 37/6. Persian July 34/-, Algerian-Tunisian July 33/5, August-September 33/9, September-October 32/6 per 400lbs. OATS quietly steady. Plate 1a.c. afloat sellers 27/6, July 28/3, Chilian on passage 27/9 per 320lbs.

LIVERPOOL.—WHEAT—American markets were closed yesterday owing to Independence Day holiday, but the unexpected advance in Winnipeg caused forward delivery of wheat here to show a decided improvement during early trading, but in the absence of a demand for actual wheat prices afterwards receded and fluctuated moderately, though afternoon cables were distinctly encouraging, and final sales marked only a moderate gain on previous night. C.i.f. parcels of red Karachi July sold at 51/4½ per quarter. f.i.f. parcels of maize River Plate June-July sold at 37/3 to 37/4½, July-August 36/3 to 36/4½, No. 6 yellow African (Liverpool contract) 16th July 38/-, July 37/4½ per quarter. Wheat on the spot steadily held. MAIZE spot parcels scarce, and River Plate quoted 9/6 per cental. FLOUR firm and officially unchanged. Graded wheat futures improved 1¼d. to 1½d. per cental during early trading, then gave way and fluctuated moderately, the market closing quiet at the worst point, or unchanged, the only 4d. over Wednesday night.

BRISTOL.—English Wheat—Milling no trade, poultry 47/- to 49/- on rail; foreign wheat, No. 3 Manitoba 53/9, Plate 53/6 nominal, dull. Maize, Plate, old 40/6 to 41/-, new 41/6 to 42/-. Persian barley 36/6.

MANCHESTER.—English wheat 49/- to 50/- per quarter on rail. English feeding barley 35/6 to 41/- per quarter on rail. English beans 50/- to 51/- per quarter on rail. Cheshire oats 12/9 to 13/-.

PROVISIONS.

LONDON CENTRAL MEAT (SMITHFIELD).—Supplies to market 1,897 tons—421 tons British and Irish produce and 1,476 imported. Slow trade for fresh at late rates. Chilled in fair request; best quality firmer. BEEF—Scotch short sides 8/6 to 9/-, do. long sides 7/8 to 8/-, English long sides 5/8 to 6/8, Irish (Birtenhead-killed) 7/4 to 6/6-, Argentine hindquarters chilled 5/8 to 6/-, do. forequarters chilled 3/3 to 3/4, Uruguayan hindquarters chilled 5/- to 5/1, do. forequarters chilled 2/11 to 3/-, Brazilian hindquarters chilled 4/9 to 4/11, Brazilian forequarters chilled 2/7 to 2/8. MUTTON—Quiet demand. Improved inquiry for frozen lambs at recent values; Scotch 8/- to 8/8, English 7/- to 8/4, English ewes 5/8 to 4/4, New Zealand wethers 4/8 to 5/6, do. ewes 5/8 to 4/-. LAMBS—Scotch 8/- to 9/-, English 7/8 to 9/-, Irish 7/4 to 8/8, Irish (English-killed) 7/4 to 8/8. VEAL—A dull trade; English fat 7/- to 8/8, English bobbies 6/- to 7/-. PORK—A dull trade; English under 10st. 5/10 to 6/2, do. 10st. to 15st. 5/10 to 6/2, Irish (crate) 5/8 to 6/-, New Zealand 4/8 to 5/2, sows fat 4/4. Fair inquiry POULTRY, GAME, etc., at per lb. or each, as the case may be, as follows:—Surrey chicken, per lb 1/9 to 2/1, country 1/4 to 1/8, Irish 1/5 to 1/7, Belgian 1/8 to 1/10, Dutch 1/5 to 1/7, Russian 1/3 to 1/4, American 1/6 to 1/8, country ducklings 1/- to 1/2, Aylesbury 1/4 to 1/5, American 1/- to 1/2, English hen (old) 9d. to 10d., English geese 8d. to 1/-, petit poussins 6d. to 1/2 each, Egyptian quail 9d. to 2/3. EGGS per 120—English new laid grade 1 13/- to 14/-, grade 2 11/- to 12/-, Irish selected 12/- to 12/3, ducks 12/3 to 12/6, Danish 15/-16lbs. 11/9 to 12/-, 18lbs. 14/- to 14/6, Dutch brown 14/- to 16/-, mixed 12/6 to 13/6, ducks 11/- to 11/6, Belgian 11/6 to 12/6, French all brown 12/6 to 14/-, mixed 10/- to 11/-, Brittany 9/6 to 10/9

DUBLIN VEGETABLE. — Gooseberries on market averaged 3/- to 5/6 and 6/- per flosff, half bushels, etc. Moderate market of vegetables. Peas 9/6 to 16/- per bag, 16/- to 19/- and 20/- per sack, 3/- to 4/6 per first. York cabbage 30/- to 50/- and 60/- per load, extras 70/-; rhubarb 1/6 to 5/- and 6/- per bundle, scallions 11d. to 1/3 per bundle, Tripoli onions 10d. to 1/2 ditto, white 1/- to 1/3, red 5d. ditto, cauliflowers 3/- to 3/6, 4/- and 5/- per doz., beet 1/6 to 2/- per doz., carrots 1/6 to 1/9 per doz. bunches, lettuce 3d. to 6d., and 8d. per doz., spring onions 6d. to 7d. and 8d. per tray, thyme 6d. to 10d. per bunch.

DUBLIN POTATO.—Extremely heavy supplies of new County Dublin potatoes came this morning. Most deliveries show very bad handling, and some of coarse, overgrown character. Best qualities on vegetable market average 10/- and 11/- per cwt. On town distribution Flounders made 9/- to 10/-, and Queen's of best class 10/- to 11/- per cwt.

CORK BUTTER.—Quiet tone; prices unchanged. Creameries 101/- to 104/- per cwt.

COPENHAGEN.—Butter is quoted at 290 kroner per 100 kilos, which is equivalent to 228 2/3 per cwt., which is unchanged on the previous week.

DUBLIN FISH.—Moderate mixed fish supply from local and country boats. Arrivals featured 18 packages salmon, 11 chests lobsters, 100 crates herrings, 40 cwt. mackerel, and 250 boxes of stuff from two steamers. Trade good. Salmon 1/8 to 2/- and 2/2 per lb., grilse 1/- to 1/4 per lb., best lobsters 15/- to 20/- per 1.5, seconds 10/- to 12/6, others 5/- to 7/6 per lot, turbot 1/- to 1/6, brill 6d. to 4/- each, best soles 30/- to 50/- per lot, medimums 15/- to 30/- ling 5/- to 10/- per lot, half boxes plaice 20/- to 30/-, white soles 30/- to 50/-, whiting 40/- to 60/- selected, 10/- up others, codfish 8/- to 60/-, hake 20/- to 70/-, haddock 30/- to 50/-, pollock and ling 15/- to 25/-, conger eels 20/- to 25/-, ray 10/- to 15/-, herrings 15/- to 22/- and 24/-, mackerel 10/- to 12/6.

BILLINGSGATE FISH.—Fair supplies; steady demand. Soles 26d. to 36d., slips 18d. to 28d., salmon (English) 17d. to 21d., Scottish 20d. to 23d., Irish 16d. to 21d. per lb.; eels 15/- to 45/- per dead 20/- to 34/- per draught, turbot 7/- to 10/-, brill 7/- to 11/-, plaice 7/- to 12/-, halibut 11/- to 14/-, cod 4/- to 7/-, hake 5/- to 8/-, skate 4/- to 6/-, haddocks 3/- to 6/- per stone.

PRODUCE.

LONDON.—SUGAR—No further change took place in spot quotations, and a fair business is in force. Shipment parcels slow on former terms. White terminal dull. August sold 14/3d to 14/5d, December 14/5d, March 14/7½, May 14/9. COFFEE—Spot goods steady for parcels showing attractive liquor; medium kinds rather difficult of sale, with fair inquiries for good medium grades. Market firmer in the terminal section. September sold 63/6, January 60/6, March 60/-. TEA—In auction 35,789 packages saw, and finalists were obliged to admit experienced a rather quiet market, but no essential change occurred in prices when compared with those current last week. Value sold 11½d. to 1/2, broken ditto 7d. to 1/2½, orange 1/0½ to 1/3½, broken orange 10d. to 1/4, fine lots 1/11 to 1/11½, and Pekoe Souchong 11d. to 1/- per lb. in bond. SPICE—Pepper in quiet request. Lampong August-October quoted 11¾, Penang ditto 1/10½, Zanzibar cloves spot 1/-, August-October 11½d. JUTE—Market again dearer; good demand, especially old crop. First/s June-July sold £35 7/6 to £35 10/-, July-August £35 15/- to £35 17/6, August-September £35 15/- to £35 17/6, new crop July-August £38, August-September £37 5/-, October-November £37. November-December sellers £37; lightings June-July quoted £34. HEMP—In Manila a shade weaker. J2 July-September sellers £37 10/-. K August-October sold £31 10/-. SISAL—Market easier; fair FN. spot sold £29 6/8, August sold 207/6, 210/-, and 203/-, October 207/6, 210/- and £204, December 202/6, £206/- and £202. COPRA—Market quiet, unaltered.

RUBBER steady. MAIZE—Caracas quiet, but July standard sheet sold 9¾d. to 9¾d., August 9¾d. September 9¾d., October-December 9¾d. to 9¾d., January-March 9¾d.

OILS—Linseed quieter; spot 29/9, July 28/7½, August 28/-, September-December 28/-, January-April 29/4. Rape quiet; crude spot 41/-, refined 43/-. Cotton steady; crude Egyptian spot 35/-, common edible 40/-, deodorised 49/-. Coconut dull; Ceylon spot pipes 45/-, July-August in drums 40/-, Galle ditto 39/6. Turpentine quiet; American spot 44/6, September-December 45/-, per 112LBS. TEA—Spot seed quiet, and barely steady; Calcutta to London June-July, also July-August, sellers £17 15/-, Plate to Hull afloat, also for shipment, sellers £15 13/9, August-September £15 13/9, September-October £15 16/3. Rapeseed steady; Toria to Hull Continent July-August £18 15/3. Coconut dull; Ceylon to Continent—Market inactive, and Egyptian descriptions quite nominal; Bombay June-July sellers 29 10/-, extremely quiet. SUGAR—Conditions unaltered; July-August machined July-August £21 12/6, August-September £21 15/-, East African July-August £21 11/3, August-September £21 12/6 per ton. Caster, also crushed seed, unaltered.

CLYDE CRUSHED SUGAR.—The market continues quiet and business slow. Prices are occasionally the turn easier.

MISCELLANEOUS.

LIVERPOOL COTTON.—American Futures—After opening easier, prices improved slightly, but weakened again later in the day on favourable weather forecast. The market, however, closed steady. Sales, 5,000 bales (exports 100). American futures—Tendency steady. July 11.77d., August 11.71d., September 11.66d., October 11.56d., November 11.45d., December 11.44d., January 11.43d., February 11.39d., March 11.39d., April 11.36d., May 11.36d., June 11.36d., July 11.36d. Spot—Market dull. Middling, July 11.86d. Sales—July 19.98d., October 20.65d., November 20.58d., January 20.68d., March 20.73d., May 20.74d., upper July 14.72d., November 14.87d.

BRADFORD WOOL.—Business is quiet, and there is no sign of any buying movement on the eve of the London sales. Quotations are unchanged on those of 54d. for sixty-fours and 25¼d. for forties the basis of 54d. for sixty-fours and 25¼d. for forties prepared. Topmakers are not pressing for business until they see how London goes. Yarns remain quiet, and in buyers' favour.

LONDON METALS MARKET.

TIN LOWER.

At first change TIN was in better demand, but tendency easier on liberal offerings and lower Eastern advices, while dealings were attended by slight irregularity, particularly forward positions. On balance cash ruled 12/6 and forward 20/- per ton lower. Standard cash quoted £206 to £206 2/6, three months £203 12/6 to £203 15/-; settlement price £206. 500 tons changed hands, cash at £206, three months £204, £203 10/-, £204 5/- and £203 15/-; English quoted £204 to £205. Sales in the East amounted to 350 tons at £207 5/- c.i.f. terms. COPPER—Market barely steady with moderate dealings, offerings being in excess of requirements, cash being 2/6 and forward 1/3 per ton lower on balance. Standard cash quoted £63 to £63 1/3, three months £63 2/6 to £63 3/9; settlement price £63. 550 tons sold, cash at £63, three months £63 3/9 to £63 2/6; electros quoted £68 10/- to £69, wire bars £69. LEAD quiet and occasionally the turn easier. 500 tons sold, good soft foreign pig July at £20 11/3 to £20 10/-, September-December 45/- per 112LBS. SPELTER—Market dull, and barely steady; Calcutta to London June-July, also July-August, sellers £17 15/-, Plate to Hull afloat, also for shipment, sellers £15 13/9, August-September £15 13/9, September-October £15 16/3. Rapeseed steady; Toria to Hull Continent July-August £18 15/3. Coconut dull; Ceylon to Continent—Market inactive, and Egyptian descriptions quite nominal; Bombay June-July sellers 29 10/-, extremely quiet. SUGAR—Conditions unaltered; July-August machined July-August £21 12/6, August-September £21 15/-, East African July-August £21 11/3, August-September £21 12/6 per ton. Caster, also crushed seed, unaltered.

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LIVERPOOL COTTON.—American Futures—After opening easier, prices improved slightly, but weakened again later in the day on favourable weather forecast. The market, however, closed steady. Sales, 5,000 bales (exports 100). American futures—Tendency steady. July 11.77d., August 11.71d., September 11.66d., October 11.56d., November 11.45d., December 11.44d., January 11.43d., February 11.39d., March 11.39d., April 11.36d., May 11.36d., June 11.36d., July 11.36d. Spot—Market dull. Middling, July 11.86d. Sales—July 19.98d., October 20.65d., November 20.58d., January 20.68d., March 20.73d., May 20.74d., upper July 14.72d., November 14.87d.

BRADFORD WOOL.—Business is quiet, and there is no sign of any buying movement on the eve of the London sales. Quotations are unchanged on those of 54d. for sixty-fours and 25¼d. for forties the basis of 54d. for sixty-fours and 25¼d. for forties prepared. Topmakers are not pressing for business until they see how London goes. Yarns remain quiet, and in buyers' favour.

LONDON METALS MARKET.

TIN LOWER.

At first change TIN was in better demand, but tendency easier on liberal offerings and lower Eastern advices, while dealings were attended by slight irregularity, particularly forward positions. On balance cash ruled 12/6 and forward 20/- per ton lower. Standard cash quoted £206 to £206 2/6, three months £203 12/6 to £203 15/-; settlement price £206. 500 tons changed hands, cash at £206, three months £204, £203 10/-, £204 5/- and £203 15/-; English quoted £204 to £205. Sales in the East amounted to 350 tons at £207 5/- c.i.f. terms. COPPER—Market barely steady with moderate dealings, offerings being in excess of requirements, cash being 2/6 and forward 1/3 per ton lower on balance. Standard cash quoted £63 to £63 1/3, three months £63 2/6 to £63 3/9; settlement price £63. 550 tons sold, cash at £63, three months £63 3/9 to £63 2/6; electros quoted £68 10/- to £69, wire bars £69. LEAD quiet and occasionally the turn easier. 500 tons sold, good soft foreign pig July at £20 11/3 to £20 10/-, September-December 45/- per 112LBS. SPELTER—Market barely steady; Calcutta to London June-July, also July-August, sellers £17 15/-, Plate to Hull afloat, also for shipment, sellers £15 13/9, August-September £15 13/9, September-October £15 16/3. Rapeseed steady; Toria to Hull Continent July-August £18 15/3. Coconut dull; Ceylon to Continent—Market inactive, and Egyptian descriptions quite nominal; Bombay June-July sellers 29 10/-, extremely quiet. SUGAR—Conditions unaltered; July-August machined July-August £21 12/6, August-September £21 15/-, East African July-August £21 11/3, August-September £21 12/6 per ton. Caster, also crushed seed, unaltered.

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SOUTH AFRICAN.				RHODESIAN.				TIN.			
M.U. June 25.				M.U. June 25.				M.U. June 25.			
72/3	Afric. & Eur.	21/6-22/0	–0/3	9 7½	BechuanaEx	9/3-9/9	–0/3	7/0	Anglo-C. (10/-)	6/8-7/6	
24/3	Ami.Mx.Tst.	24/0-24/6		5/8	Beira T.Sltes	7/6-8/6		13/9	Anglo-Orient	11/6-12/0	–0/3
17/9	Anglo-A Cp.	17 3-32-32		4 7½	R. M'Kubwa	4/10½-5 1½		19/9	Do Pref ...	19/6-20/0	–0/3
25/6	Anglo-Fr'ch.	25/6-25/9	+0/3	2½	Canada Motor	2½-2¾		3/4	Aramayo ...	2 9-32-5/16	
41 32	Brakpan	41 32-42 32	–1 32	31/8	Char. D & A.	30/6-30/9		11/9	Associa'd Tin	12/3-12/9	–0/3
19¼	Cent. Mining	19¼-19¾	– ⅛	1/6	Falcon..	1/6-2/0		22/0	BanchiOrd...	21/9-22/9	
1 1/16	City Deep	7 4-32-1 32		12/0	Globe & Phoe	12/9-13/3	–0/3	19/16	Do. Pref...	19/16-17/16	
3 1 32	Con.Goldfids	3¼-3 5/16	–3 32	12/0	Gold F. Rho.	11/6-11/9		12/6	Bleichi.....	12/3-12/9	
22/0	Cons. M. Reef	21/3-21/9	–0/3	1 11 16	Lonely Reef.	1 11 16-1 13 16	–1/8	1 7½	Enterce Tr'st	1/3-1/9	
18/0	Con. M. Sel...	17/6-18/0		1 5/16	Rezende	1 1/16-1/8		1/0	Fabulosa. ...	0/6-1/3	
3 32	Crown Mines	3 1-32-3 5/16	–1 32	4 7½	R. Broken H.	4/6-4/9	–0 1½	2/4	Gopeng	2 5/16-2/7/16	
1 32	Durban Deep	1 32-1 32		4 7½	R. Broken H.	4/6-4/9	–0 1½	1 32	Ipoh.....	1 32-2 32	
16/3	E.Rand Prop	15/9-16/3		12/9	Selukwa (2/6)	10 7½-10 10½	+0/6	1 32	Kaduna Synd	1¼-1¼	
3 32	Geduld.....	3 32-3 5/16	–1 32	1 32	Shamva	2 32-1 32		18/6	Kamunting..	18/0-18/6	–0/3
4/0	Golden Deep	3/9-4/3		2 32	Sherw'd Star	2 32-2 32		1¼	Kram'l Pulai	1¼-1¼	
1 32	Gen. Mining.	1 32-1 32		2 7 32	Tangan. Con	2 32-2 32	–1 32	12/0	Mongra	11/6-12/0	–0/3
¼	Glynn's L'hg	¼-⅜		2 32	Vic.FallsOrd	2 5/16-2 9/16		1/9	Naraguta	1/6-7/8	
2/3	Govt. M. (5/)	2 5/16-2/3		34/9	Do. Pref..	33/0-34/0		11/9	Pahang (5/)...	11/6-12/0	
1/0	HendriesPlat.	0/6-0/9		3/3	Henderson..	3 1 32-3 4 32		1 32	Rambutan....	1 5/16-1 7/16	
3/3	Henderson..	3 1 32-3 4 32		40/9	JohanInvsts.	40/6-40/6		1 32	Renong	1 13-32-1 32	
2/6	Kleinfontein	3/0-3/6		2/6	Kleinfontein	3/0-3/6		10/3	Ropp New(4/)	9/6-10/0	–0/3
11/6	Knight's....	11/3-11/9		23/6	Langlaagte E.	22/9-23/3		21/6	Siamese	21/3-21/9	
23/6	Langlaagte E.	22/9-23/3		3/6	Lydenb'g Pln	3/3-4/3		1/9	Sth. Bukit ...	1/10½-2/1½	
3/6	Lydenb'g Pln	3/3-4/3		5/-	MeyerzChar	11 32-1 32		10/3	Tavoy (4/) ...	10/3-10/9	–0/6
5/-	MeyerzChar	11 32-1 32		6 1 16	Modderfontein	5-6 1/16		6/0	TinProps.(2/4)	10½-5/1½	
6 1 16	Modderfontein	5-6 1/16		28/0	Modder B....	25/6-28/0		31/6	Tin Selns.Tst	30/9-31/3	–1/3
28/0	Modder B....	25/6-28/0		17/9	Modder Deep	16 32-17 32		17/3	Tronoh (3/)...	16/6-17/0	–0/3
17/9	Modder Deep	16 32-17 32		17/9	Modder East	16 32-17 32					
1 15 16	New S.Areas	1 15/16-1 32	–1 32	6	Premier Prof	5 15-16-6 1/16					
10/6	Nigel.....	9/0-10/0		13/0	WestAfrican	12/6-13/6					
10/0	Nourse.....	9/3-9/9									
5/6	Oceana Con..	5 4½-5 7½	–0 1½								
4 1½	Rolgat'rust.	4/6-5/0									
3 7/16	Rand Mines.	3 1 32-3 3 32									
10/3	Randfontein	10/0-10/6									
17/9	RobinDeep B	17 3-32-17 9-32									
3/6	Rose Deep...	7/3-7/9									
3/4	Simmer & J.	2 1½-3 4½									
17/3	S.A. G.Trust	14 1½-15 16	–1 16								
15/3	S.A. Towns..	14 3-32-15 3-32									
3 15 16	Spaarw'ker..	3 29-32-3 31-32	–1 32								
16/0	Sth.-W. Af....	15 0-16 0	–0 6								
3 15 32	Sub Nigel....	2 29-32-3 1 32									
3/8	Trans.Lnd.B	3¼-3⅜									
2 9 16	Trans.Con.L	2 1/4-2 3/8									
10 4½	Trans. Devel	9 2-10 0									
4 29 32	Union Corp..	4 15-32-4 1-32									
11/8	Van Ryn....	13/3-14/3									
2 9 16	Do. Deep....	2 15-32-2 17-32									
2 9 32	Vereeniging.	2 1 32-2 1 32									
2/3	Village Deep	2/0-2/6									
12 32	West R. Con	11/6-12/0									
23/6	West Springs	22/9-23/3									
5/3	Wit. Deep ...	7/0-8/0									

WEST AFRICAN.			
22/0	Ashanti	21/6-22/6	–0/9
12 4½	Fanti Cons..	12/0-12/6	

MISCELLANEOUS.			
2/6	BarrierTrust	2/3-2/9	
13 10½	Burma Corp.	13/10½-14/1¼	–0/1½
12/6	Champ. Reef	11/9-12/6	–0/3
1 5/8	Chos.Synd.A	1 4-1 4	
1 5/8	Colombian P.	1 4-1 4	
1 5/8	HuronianBk	1 1-1 1	
2 7/16	KeelerSilver	2/6-2/9	
2/6	Kirkland L..	1 13-1 15	
1/4	MexicoMin's	1 1-1 1	
2 5/16	Min.Sepa'n	1 7-8-2 1-8	
13/0	Min.Crp.Can	12/6-13/9	
10/0	Mysore (10/)..	5/0-5/6	
4/9	Nat. Min.(5/)	4 4½-4 7½	
10/6	Nundydroog	10/0-10/6	
1 4	Oorsgum	1 3-16-1 5	
5/6	St. Helier..	11/9-12/3	
27/6	San Fr'isco...	26 3-28/9	–0/3
16/0	Santa Gert-..	15 3-16/0	
2 4½	Vipond	2 1½-2 4½	
11/9	Walhi Gold..	11/9-12/3	

‡ Ex Dividend. † Ex Rights. § Ex bonus.

LONDON MINING MARKET WEAK.

TIN SHARES AGAIN MARKED DOWN.

The Mining Market shared in the general weakness prevailing yesterday, more especially as Paris was perturbed by the slump in several international counters; while Kaffirs were not helped by the publication of the monthly returns, most of which were of a satisfactory character. Of the finance descriptions, Central Mining and Goldfields were distinctly dull, and Anglo-French lost the turn. Geduld, Brakpan and several other Far Easterns were on the down-grade; but Sub-Nigel, which were at first rather severely depressed, rallied on buying, encouraged by the announcement that nothing is known officially of any adverse developments in the mine.

GOSSIP FROM THE COURSE.

GOLDEN ORACLE'S FUTURE.

A HIGH-PRICED PLATER.

EMPIRE BUILDER FAILS.

FROM OUR TRAVELLING CORRESPONDENT.

NEWMARKET, Thursday.

A reference was made here last week to the notable way in which the Irish two-year-old form of last season is working out. That was after Mail Fist had won at Newcastle and Swift Marten had won at Sandown. We had another and more notable example of it this afternoon, when Golden Oracle won the July Cup in a common canter.

This particularly good-looking colt, who is a splendid advertisement for the Ratoath stallion Arch Gift, has not been very long in the stable of Captain Boyd-Rochfort, to which Captain Harry Whitworth sent him from Mr. Ussher's place. He made a big impression when he came into the paddock, and a still greater one in the race; for he was never off the bit and won as he pleased by three lengths from Four in Hand.

Now, the latter is thought to be particularly smart when the going suits him, but he could not live against Golden Oracle. It would be in no way surprising if before the end of the season Golden Oracle prove himself to be the best three-year-old sprinter in training in this country. Tetrill, who was last of all, had been only beaten a head by Doch an Doris in the Fernhill at Ascot, and had won her two previous races; so the form was all right.

ST. PRISCA'S RUNAWAY.

We had, on the whole, a very interesting day's racing. The first event was a selling race for two-year-olds, and the Egerton House stable took it with Lord Lascelles's Friar Marcus filly, St. Prisca, who, with an unknown boy, Jex, up, won running away by eight lengths from Chicory. The Royal stable does not affect selling events, and so no effort was made to retain her. Everyone seemed to want her afterwards, and the bidding went sky-high. Finally, Mr. Murray, a patron of Mr. Cottrill's stable, had her knocked down to him for 1,950 guineas, which is, I think, the biggest price for a winning plater since Corporal made 2,650 guineas at Newmarket in 1920. That, however, was a purchase without regard to the intrinsic value of the horse.

The Exeter Stakes was the most important two-year-old event of the day, and here Sir Richard Garton's Irish-bred colt by The Boss out of Ayn Hali completely reversed with Empire Builder the form in the Chesham Stakes at Ascot, where each had finished behind Costaki Pasha. The Ayn Hali colt was meeting this other on a few pounds better terms, and there was not much between them on the book, but Empire Builder had been none too lucky at Ascot, and there being a doubt about the other getting the six furlongs, Major McCalmont's colt was the better favourite.

FAILURE OF EMPIRE BUILDER.

It was a very good race, in which Childs pulled back the Ayn Hali colt, and Catch Crop made the running. Empire Builder had gone to the front a furlong and a half from home, and then Childs brought the other and beat the favourite cleverly by a length and a half, there being no excuse to offer for Empire Builder.

The winner is a very good-looking bay colt, who was bred by Mrs. Hilliard, and goes back to Lallah Rookh and others of Mr. James Daly's family, Horus, a three-parts brother to Flamingo, who cost Sir Laurence Phillips 6,100 guineas as a yearling, ran unplaced here.

The bookmakers had their first real innings of the meeting when Tourist won the Princess of Wales's Stakes for Sir Abe Bailey. The colt was not backed for a shilling by his owner or anyone else connected with him, and they were utterly astonished when this moderate maiden, strongly ridden by Dines, and favoured by his light weight, got up to beat Caporal by half a length, with Lodore third. He had never shown any sort of form, and last week was beaten in the North Derby by the moderate Consul.

Lord Derby's Sans Changer, who was claiming the geldings' allowance as well as the maiden allowance, was favourite from Lodore, and he was just in the lead from Potocki a quarter of a mile from home. Lodore, who had been hampered and had been switched into various positions, then came on the inside and headed both these. As he got his head in front Caporal and Tourist appeared on his outside, and they gave him none too much room.

TOURIST'S SUCCESS.

Caporal appeared to be having the best of it, but, as usual, when tackled he had no great liking for the task in hand, and the other beat him. Tourist may be about the worst horse that has ever won this race. Lodore, who stays well, did not have the best of luck here. Fred Darling intends to run him in the St. Leger and rather fancies his chance.

After an open selling race, which Wykeham won easily from Jupiter, the last race of the day, the Girton Handicap, was won easily by Sir Hugo Cunliffe-Owen's penalised filly, Syntony, an improving daughter of Planet, who won easily from Lord Lascelles' filly, Star of Galicia, and Helvetic.

The yearling sales concluded this evening, and everyone seems well satisfied with the results, which in many cases have exceeded expectation. The bidding for the National Stud yearlings last night was wonderful, and the total realised £30,980, an average of £1,936 5s. for the sixteen lots—a splendid one. Judging by this week's results, blood-stock breeding still seems to be on the crest of the wave of prosperity.

The racing here to-morrow will be only mildly interesting. The Fulbourne Stakes is an old two-year-old event, in which NIJINSKY may beat Neguac. There will be only a few runners for the Ellesmere Stakes, which PHARAMOND may win. In the Waterbeach Handicap STRANATHRO and Capture Him seem to have the best chances, and I choose the former.

GALTEE MORE.

FORM HORSES.

NEWMARKET.

1. 0—Pheidon.
2.30—Middle East.
2. 0—Stranathro.
2.30—Pharamond.
3. 0—Nijinski (nap).
3.30—Khedive.

WORCESTER.

2. 0—Queen Bee.
2.30—Sonia Carol.
3. 0—O'Donnell.
3.30—Cornish Friar.
4. 0—Busy Sue.
4.30—Esla.

Eclipse.

SPECIAL SELECTIONS FOR TO-DAY.

Daily Express :—Safety Bet—First Flight (to win). Double—Nijinski and First Flight.

Daily Mirror :—Double — Nijinski (nap) and First Flight.

Daily Sketch :—Double—Middle East and Busy Sue.

PHŒNIX PARK MEETING.

TO-MORROW (SATURDAY).

ORDER OF RUNNING.

Hollywood Plate... 3.0 Breaders' Produce Stakes 4.30
Hayes Plate ..... 3.30 Hazelhatch Plate.. 4. 0 Hilltown Plate 5. 0
Headfort Plate ... 5.30

BELLEWSTOWN.

ORBY'S BEAU WINS AGAIN.

STRIPED SILK BEATS CARLOVIA.

With a great improvement in the weather as compared to the first day, the racing at Bellewstown yesterday was thoroughly enjoyable, and it was pleasing to see a crowd very much in excess of Wednesday's, which, by the way, was better than that of the previous day last year. For most of the afternoon the course was bathed in sunshine; there was a clear view of the surrounding country, stretching away to the Mourne Mountains, and seldom can we remember a more favourable day for enjoying sport on tails old and very popular course.

It was a pity that the runners for the King's Plate only numbered two, but a better match could not have been asked for than that provided by Striped Silk and Carlovia. The wagering between the pair was very close, and in a fine race Mr. R. Power's game mare, ridden in capable style by J. Moylan, just prevailed by a length. Riding with a view to proving the superior stamina of Striped Silk Moylan had to make his own running, but did it judiciously, and to his handling of the mare was the victory largely due. Still when one considers that Carlovia had run for and won a steeplechase the previous day her performance was creditable.

Orby's Beau, another winner of a steeplechase on Wednesday, turned out fresh and well to win the Crockafotha Hurdle Race in good style, the penalty of 9lb. making not the slightest difference. He has already this season won two steeplechases and a hurdle race, and in him Mr. T. O'Roarke possesses a very useful horse. Spare Time, also a penalised horse, was preferred to him in the wagering, but never flattered, and it was Buster of the others who put up the best showing.

Sir George Abercromby's colours are not so often nowadays seen on Irish racecourses as used to be the case, but he is one of those English sportsmen who has always been a great supporter of Irish racing, and when his Southern Witch carried off the Leggan Hall Plate the victory was very popular. True, the class of the opposition was not gaudy, but she beat them all in hollow style. She had run in a mile flat race the previous day without meeting with success, but it is evident that steeplechasing is more to her liking. Mr. H. M. Hartigan, who trains Southern Witch, is the new owner of Lloydie, and the horse was not purchased for an English owner.

Odd Cat had run so well in Carlovia's race on Wednesday up to the time he fell that he was an automatic favourite for the Stewards' Steeplechase. He did not gallop with the same freedom at any stage of the race, being in the rear for most of the way. He improved his position in the last half mile, without, however, holding out any hope of tackling Lisworney, whose win was easily achieved.

Brushlight, a filly, who, when trained in England, did not win a race, and was usually slow in getting away from the starting gate, behaved in exemplary fashion both before and during the race for the Corporation Plate. Well placed in the first furlong she quickly took up the running, and made short work of the opposition. She is now the property of Mr. E. Bellaney, and is trained at the Brackenstown stable.

The Northern trained Bathoi proved the best of the four runners for the Shallon Plate, which race brought to a close one of the best meetings held on the famous hill of Crockafotha. Detailed :—

2.30—CROCKAFOTHA PLATE of 50 sovs. A handicap hurdle race. 1¼m. 5f.

Mr. T. O'Rourke's b. g. ORBY'S BEAU, by Orb —Sobo, 5, 11-12 ..... J. Moylan 1
Mr. T. D. McKeever's BUSTER, 10-9 ..... Mr. F. E. McKeever 2
Mr. J. D. Wilkinson's ACTRIA, 5, 11-12 ..... A. Meany 3

Mr. W. J. Byrne's Beddgelert, 6, 10-12 D. Ward 0
Captain T. Martin's Aidan, a, 10-0 ...A. Gleeson 0
Mr. J. A. Farrell's Princess Peg, 4, 10-4 ..... J. H. Harty 0
Mr. A. Lowry's Spare Time, 6, 10-7 ..... J. Lynn, jun. 0
(Winner trained by Owner.)

Betting—2 to 1 agst. Spare Time, 3 to 1 each ORBY'S BEAU and Actria, 8 to 1 each Beddgelert and Buster, 10 to 1 any other.

Buster led from Princess Peg. Spare Time, Aidan, Beddgelert, Actria, and Orby's Beau for half-way, when Buster was attended by Spare Time and Orby's Beau. The last-named grew into the lead a good length from home, and went on to win by six lengths; four lengths divided second and third. Spare Time was fourth and Beddgelert next.

3.0—LEGGAN HALL PLATE of 50 sovs. A weight for age steeplechase. 2m.

Col. Sir G. Abercromby's b. m. SOUTHERN WITCH, by Southampton—Mrs. Partiton, a, 11-5 ..... J. H. Harty 1
Mr. F. Loughran's FAIR BESS, a, 11-5 T. Kelly 2
Mrs. Large's ASSISI, a, 11-5 ..... D. Ward 3
Mr. P. D. Cullinan's Oreo, a, 11-12 ...Jos. Doyle 0
Mrs. M. Dawson's Lare, 6, 11-5 ....J. Costello 0
Mr. G. Gillespie's Susiewusie, a, 11-0 ..... M. R. O'Neill, jun 0
Mr. J. Spicer's Prairie Blossom, 4, 10-5 ..... J. McCarthy 0
Mr. W. Magee's Cerigo, 6, 11-1 .....J. Manley 0
(Winner trained by Owner.)

Betting—5 to 2 agst. SOUTHERN WITCH, 3 to 1 each Oreo and Lare, 8 to 1 each Fair Bess and Assisi, 20 to 1 any other.

Fair Bess made the running from Susiewusie, Lare, Oreo, Southen Witch and Prairie Blossom for half-way, when Oreo fell. Half a mile from home Assisi and Southern Witch, taking the lead at the second last fence, won by fifteen lengths; twenty-five lengths divided second and third. Prairie Blossom was fourth.

3.30—HIS MAJESTY'S PLATE of 100 gns. A weight for age flat race. 2½m.

Mr. R. Power's ch. m. STRIPED SILK, by By George—Yamboula, a, 9-7 ..... J. Moylan 1
Mr. W. E. Melbourne's CARLOVIA, 6, 9-0 ..... E. Quirke 2
(Winner trained by H. Ussher.)

Betting—5 to 4 on STRIPED SILK, 3 to 1 Carlovia. Striped Silk made all the running, and won by a length and a half.

4.0—STEWARDS' PLATE of 50 sovs. A handicap steeplechase. 3m.

Miss M. Feore's b. h. LISWORNEY, by Prospector—Fantoi, 6, 10-4 ..... J. Lynn, jun. 1
Mr. T. Ray's ODD CAT, a, 11-1 .....Jos. Doyle 2
Mr. J. D. Wilkinson's LETHAM, a, 9-7 ..... J. Meany 3
Mr. P. D. Cullinan's Stage Management, a, 10-7 ..... P. Powell 0
Mr. T. Plunkett's Little Hope, a, 9-7 ..... Mr. L. S. Ward 0
Mr. R. Collen's Fin-ma-Coul, a, 9-2 ..... P. Mackonkie 0
(Winner trained by J. Dawson.)

Betting—5 to 4 agst. Odd Cat, 4 to 1 each Letham and Stage Management, 5 to 1 LISWORNEY, 8 to 1 Little Hope, 50 to 1 Fin-ma-Coul.

Letham set the pace to Stage Management, Little Hope, Lisworney, and Fin-ma-Coul, with Odd Cat last. At half-way Fin-ma-Coul was eased up, and a quarter of a mile from home Lisworney went on in front, followed by Odd Cat, and won by five lengths; eight lengths divided second and third. Stage Management was fourth.

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Buster led from Princess Peg, Spare Time, Aidan, Beddgelert, Actria, and Orby's Beau for half-way, when Buster was attended by Spare Time and Orby's Beau. The last-named grew into the lead a good length from home, and went on to win by six lengths; four lengths divided second and third. Spare Time was fourth and Beddgelert next.

3.0—LEGGAN HALL PLATE of 50 sovs. A weight for age steeplechase. 2m.

Col. Sir G. Abercromby's b. m. SOUTHERN WITCH, by Southampton—Mrs. Partiton, a, 11-5 ..... J. H. Harty 1
Mr. F. Loughran's FAIR BESS, a, 11-5 T. Kelly 2
Mrs. Large's ASSISI, a, 11-5 ..... D. Ward 3
Mr. P. D. Cullinan's Oreo, a, 11-12 ...Jos. Doyle 0
Mrs. M. Dawson's Lare, 6, 11-5 ....J. Costello 0
Mr. G. Gillespie's Susiewusie, a, 11-0 ..... M. R. O'Neill, jun 0
Mr. J. Spicer's Prairie Blossom, 4, 10-5 ..... J. McCarthy 0
Mr. W. Magee's Cerigo, 6, 11-1 .....J. Manley 0
(Winner trained by J. Dawson.)

Betting—5 to 2 agst. SOUTHERN WITCH, 3 to 1 each Oreo and Lare, 8 to 1 each Fair Bess and Assisi, 20 to 1 any other.

Fair Bess made the running from Susiewusie, Lare, Oreo, Southen Witch and Prairie Blossom for half-way, when Oreo fell. Half a mile from home Assisi and Southern Witch, taking the lead at the second last fence, won by fifteen lengths; twenty-five lengths divided second and third. Prairie Blossom was fourth.

3.30—HIS MAJESTY'S PLATE of 100 gns. A weight for age flat race. 2½m.

Mr. R. Power's ch. m. STRIPED SILK, by By George—Yamboula, a, 9-7 ..... J. Moylan 1
Mr. W. E. Melbourne's CARLOVIA, 6, 9-0 ..... E. Quirke 2
(Winner trained by H. Ussher.)

Betting—5 to 4 on STRIPED SILK, 3 to 1 Carlovia. Striped Silk made all the running, and won by a length and a half.

4.0—STEWARDS' PLATE of 50 sovs. A handicap steeplechase. 3m.

Miss M. Feore's b. h. LISWORNEY, by Prospector—Fantoi, 6, 10-4 ..... J. Lynn, jun. 1
Mr. T. Ray's ODD CAT, a, 11-1 .....Jos. Doyle 2
Mr. J. D. Wilkinson's LETHAM, a, 9-7 ..... J. Meany 3
Mr. P. D. Cullinan's Stage Management, a, 10-7 ..... P. Powell 0
Mr. T. Plunkett's Little Hope, a, 9-7 ..... Mr. L. S. Ward 0
Mr. R. Collen's Fin-ma-Coul, a, 9-2 ..... P. Mackonkie 0
(Winner trained by J. Dawson.)

Betting—5 to 4 agst. Odd Cat, 4 to 1 each Letham and Stage Management, 5 to 1 LISWORNEY, 8 to 1 Little Hope, 50 to 1 Fin-ma-Coul.

Letham set the pace to Stage Management, Little Hope, Lisworney, and Fin-ma-Coul, with Odd Cat last. At half-way Fin-ma-Coul was eased up, and a quarter of a mile from home Lisworney went on in front, followed by Odd Cat, and won by five lengths; eight lengths divided second and third. Stage Management was fourth.

NEWMARKET TO-DAY: PROBABLE STARTERS AND BETTING.

SELECTIONS.

All-Aged Selling Plate—Pheidon.
Princess's Stakes—Middle East.
Waterbeach Handicap—Stranathro.*
Ellesmere Stakes—Pharamond.
Fulbourne Stakes—Nijinski.
Milton Welter—First Flight.

TO-DAY'S DOUBLE.

Stranathro (Newmarket) and Cornish Friar (Worcester).

1.0—ALL-AGED SELLING PLATE of 200 sovs. Winner to be sold for £200. 5 f.

	Age st. lb.
HAPPY RECRUIT (Mr. W. T. Sears) ..... Leach, jun.	5 9 4
ALCINOUS (Mr. F. W. Horlock) ..... Wal Griggs	3 9 0
STRATHLEVEN (Capt. E. A. V. Stanley) ..... Beatty	4 9 0
BLAIRFLY (Maj. T. G. N. Bardwell) ..... Beatty	3 8 11
SOMME GOOSE (Mr. R. L. Glasspool) ..... C. Leader	3 8 11
PHEIDON (Sir Delves Broughton) ..... Farquharson	5 9 10
FLAMMARION (Ld. Harewood) ..... J. Jarvis	3 8 7
RUFFORTH (Miss E. Mercer) ..... Mercer	3 8 4
LOVE IN THE MIST (Mr. J. M. Misa) ..... Misa	3 8 4
KILDERKIN (Ld. Durham) ..... P. Peck	3 8 4
ALCMENA (Capt. H. Street) ..... J. Manser	5 8 4
FERRY-MAID (Miss M. Lawson) ..... Private	3 8 4
CELSIA F. by Rocksavage ..... (Mr. F. Leader)	2 6 7
SANDY BANK F. by Orpiment (Mr. A. Huntley Walker) ..... Toon	2 6 7

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
010 PHEIDON ..... Beary	6/4
000 ALCINOUS ..... Skelton	100/8
401 BLAIRFLY ..... R. Wragg	2/1
040 SOMME GOOSE ..... Southey	100/8
030 FLAMMARION ..... Orme	6/1
000 RUFFORTH	100/8
000 LOVE IN THE MIST	100/8
000 ALCMENA ..... S. Wragg	100/8
PERRY MAID ..... Sirett	7/2
400 CELSIA F. ..... Lowry	10/1
0 SAND BANK F. ..... Stephenson	100/8
000 SOCIAL EVENING	100/8
DUNBOYNE ..... Smirke	8/1

1.30—PRINCESS' STAKES of 10 sovs. each, with 200 sovs. added. 5 f.

	st. lb.
MORNING MIST (Mrs. C. Rich) ..... R. J. Colling	8 12
GOLDEN GAUNTLET (Mr. P. Hands) ..... Thrale	8 8
LETHE (Mr. Anthony de Rothschild) ..... Watson	8 5
FLORIBELLA (Mr S Viasto) Boyd-Rochfort	8 5
BEARSKIN (Mr. D. Landale Wilson) ..... T. Waugh	8 5
SOLICITUDE C. by Lemberg (Ld. Glanely) ..... Archer	8 5
SCROLL (Mr. J. P. Hornung) ..... B. Jarvis	8 5
WEIR BANK (Mr. H. R. King) Leach, jun.	8 5
TYRANO (Lady Ludlow) ..... Watts	8 5
LEMBURY (Sir Percy Newson) ..... Barling	8 5
LITTONDALE F. by Roseberry ..... J. Jarvis	8 5
GREEN WILLOW (Ld. Woolavington) ..... F. Darling	8 3
TERRE PLEIN (M. E. de St. Alary) ..... Gilpin	8 3
YOLANDA (His Majesty) ..... W. Parris	8 0
ROLLO (Mr. J. S. Austen) ..... C. Waugh	8 0
EVE OF APPLE (Sir Abe Bailey) ..... R. Day	8 0
APPLE ROYAL (Sir Abe Bailey) ..... R. Day	8 0
ENSOLEILLEE (M. M. Boussac) S. Darling	8 0
GAMBOLA (Mr. P. W. Cary) ... H. Leader	8 0
PLADDA (Mr. Derby) ..... Frost	Butters 8 0
MIDDLE EAST (Lady James Douglas) ..... Sneyd	8 0
GULE STREAM (Vicomte Foy) ..... J. Cannon	8 0
CHINESE LADY (Mrs. D. Gardner) ..... J. Dawson	8 0
MIXED MARRIAGE F., by Gay Crusader (Ld. Glanely) ..... Hogg	8 0
GIGLAMP (Ld. Howard de Walden) ..... D. Waugh	8 0
BELLE MERE (Sir J. Buchanan Jardine) ..... Leach, sen.	8 0
MEANDER (Mr. Sol Joel) ..... Earl	8 0
ST. PRISCA (Ld. Lascelles) ..... W. Jarvis	8 0
PEARLA (Mr. J. B. Muir) ..... Watts	8 0
BUTTERING (Mr. J. Watson) S. Darling	8 0
FOLLIFOOT (Mrs. W. Raphael) ..... R. W. Colling	8 0
YASIA (Mr W. Raphael) ..... R. W. Colling	8 0
CORNELIA F. by Poltava (Sir Lewis Richardson) ..... G. Sadler	8 0

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
140 GOLDEN GAUNTLET ..... R. Dick	6/1
051 FLORIBELLA ..... S. Donoghue	25/1
001 MIDDLE EAST ..... J. Childs	3/1
0 MORNING MIST ..... J. James	100/8
043 SIMEON'S CHARM ..... Perryman	100/8
4 SCROLL ..... R. Jones	100/8
00 TYRAN ..... F. Leader	100/8
000 LEMBURY ..... Jelliss	100/8
320 CLYDESDALE ..... Elliott	100/8
0 TERRE PLEIN ..... Smirke	100/8
0 ROLLO ..... M. Beary	8/1
000 CAPORAL ..... Dines	100/8
000 GAMBOLA ..... K. Robertson	100/8
0 PLADDA ..... Weston	100/8
0 CHINESE LADY ..... Pryor	100/8
MIXED MARRIAGE ..... G. Richards	100/8
00 GIGLAMP	100/8
0 BELLE MERE ..... H. Wragg	10/1
0 PEARLA ..... Alford	100/8
LUTESTRING ..... H. Beasley	5/1
20 FOLLIFOOT ..... S. Wragg	100/8
030 CORNELIA F. ..... Sirett	100/8

2.0—WATERBEACH HANDICAP, a Sweepstakes of 10 sovs. each, with 300 sovs. added. Second receives 50 sovs. 6 f.

	Age st. lb.
NOTHING VENTURE (Sir J. Buchanan Jardine) ..... Leach, sen.	5 9 3
BIRCHROOM (Mr. D. Landale Wilson) ..... T. Waugh	6 9 0
FLEETING MEMORY (Mr. Sol Joel) ..... Earl	3 8 4
VALDORE (Ld. Allendale) ..... D. Jarvis	6 8 3
CAPTURE HIM (Ld. Glanely) ..... Hogg	6 8 3
TUBORG (Mrs. E. L. Ralli) ..... T. Waugh	3 8 3
STRANATHRO (Mr. A. Barclay Walker) ..... Persse	4 8 2
STROMA (D. of Portland) ..... F. Darling	3 8 2
THACKERAY (Mr. Sol Joel) ..... Earl	3 8 1
PART ONE (Mr. Walter J. Fryer) ..... Clement	5 7 13
GOLDEN KING (Mr. E. T. Prichard) ..... F. Hartigan	3 7 12
RED SHADOW (Sir Alfred Butt) ..... Wootton	3 7 11
HOLIKOKI (Mr. Noel H. Walker) ..... Toon	5 7 10
GARS-LE FALAISE (Mr. S. W. Beers) ..... Leach, jun.	4 7 9
DOMBEY (Ld. Woolavington) ..... F. Darling	3 7 9
SWIFT MARTEN (Maj. D. Dixon) ..... S. Darling	3 7 5
CYCLAS (Mr. E. G. de Mestre) ..... De Mestre	4 7 4
BREAK OF DAY (Ld. Dewar) ..... Pickering	3 7 0
ALADDIN'S LAMP (Ld Dewar) ..... F. Darling	3 7 0
PUISNE (Ld. Wimborne) ..... J. Jarvis	3 7 0

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
200 NOTHING VENTURE ..... J. Leach	7/1
104 DARK WARRIOR ..... Winter	7/1
230 TUBORG ..... S. Donoghue	8/1
000 HOLIKOKI ..... James	100/8
020 BREAK OF DAY ..... S. Wragg	100/8
102 CAPTURE HIM ..... G. Richards	2/1
313 STRANATHRO ..... H. Beasley	9/4
030 PART ONE ..... Pryor	100/8
051 CYCLAS ..... Dines	10/1

2.30—ELLESMERE STAKES of 10 sovs. each, with 300 sovs. added, of which the second receives 40 sovs. and the third 20 sovs. 1m. 5f.

	Age st. lb.
APELLE (Mr. R. McCreery) ..... Persse	5 10 0
EAGLE ROCK (Ld. Astor) ..... Lawson	4 9 12
MISS ONSLOW (Mr. W. M. G. Singer) ..... Lawson	4 8 9
TOBOGGAN (Ld. Derby) ....F. Butters	3 8 7
TOUREEN (Mr. E. M. Smith) ..... R. W. Colling	4 7 9
NEVER CROSS (Ld. Astor) ..... Lawson	4 7 9
MAID OF PERTH (Mrs. G. H. Drummond) ..... F. Darling	4 7 6
GAUNTLET (His Majesty) ...W. Jarvis	3 7 3
PHYSIC BALL (Mrs. W. Beer) ..... Beatty	3 7 3
SARTELLIA (M. M. Boussac) S. Darling	3 7 3
SIMON OF SALOP (Sir D. Cooper) ..... Leach, jun.	3 7 3
PHARAMOND (Ld. Derby) ....F. Butters	3 7 3
WELL PLAYED (Sir R. Garton) Walters	3 7 3
HEREWARD (Ld. Woolavington) ..... F. Darling	3 7 3
HUG (Sir Abe Bailey) ..... R. Day	3 7 0
DESERT SONG (Sir A. Butt) Wootton	3 7 0
FASTER (Mr. S. Villar) ..... R. Day	3 7 0
HUNTING TOWER (Col. S. Green) ..... Boyd-Rochfort	3 7 0
FRET (Mr. J. P. Hornung) B. Jarvis	3 7 0
ROMANY QUEEN (Mr. J. B. Leigh) ..... Sneyd	3 7 0

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
00 SARTELLIA ..... Dines	6/4
404 PHARAMOND ..... Weston	4/6

3.0—FULBOURNE STAKES of 25 sovs. each, with 200 sovs. added. Second receives 100 sovs. third saves stake. 5 f. 140 yds.

	st. lb.
NEGUAC (Ld. Beaverbrook) ..... Watts	9 0
KNIGHT ERROR (Sir Geoffrey Noble) ..... Jarvis	8 9
ORCELLA (M. Edward Esmond) J. Jarvis	8 9
LARKING (M. Edward Esmond) J. Jarvis	8 9
FLYING SCUD F., by Grand Parade (Ld. Glanely) ..... Hogg	8 9
REFECTORY (Ld. Glanely) ..... Archer	8 9
NIJINSKI (H.H. Aga Khan) ..... R. Dawson	8 9
CARPEZAN (Ld. Rosebery) ..... J. Jarvis	8 9
ENGELBERG (Mr. Somerville Tattersall) ..... Lawson	8 9
ATROPELLO (Mr. S. J. Unzue) ..... In France	8 9

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
310 NEGUCIE ..... S. Donoghue	5/1
0 LARKING ..... Elliott	10/1
330 REFECTORY ..... G. Richards	5/1
42 MJINSKI ..... Beary	11/10

3.30—MILTON WELTER HANDICAP, a Plate of 300 sovs. Second receives 30 sovs. 1½m.

	Age st. lb.
SPEYSIDE (Mr. F. J. Benson) E. Wilson	3 9 3
ELCHO (Sir Walter Gilbey) T. Cannon	4 8 12
BRIGLIADORO (Mr. A. de Rothschild) ..... Watson	4 8 11
MINT MASTER (Sir V. Sassoon) ..... Crawford	3 8 8
DAZZLER (Mr. F. J. Benson) E. Wilson	4 8 7
SILVER HUSSAR (H.H. the Aga Khan) ..... R. Dawson	3 8 6
KHEDIVE (Mrs. J. Lewis) Leach, jun.	4 8 6
EYEBRIGHT (Lt. Barnby) ... H. Leader	3 8 4
MIMICRY (Mr. R. J. Colling) R. Colling	4 8 3
FINAL WINK (Sir Warden Chilcott) ..... Gooch	6 8 2
IMPROMPTU (Ld. Derby) Frank Butters	4 8 1
IDLE HOUR (Lady Curzon of Kedleston) ..... Beatty	3 8 0
SAMPHIRE (Mr. E. W. Dennis) ..... Hamshaw	4 8 0
FIRST FLIGHT (Lady Scarborough) ..... F. Leader	3 7 12
ALL OVER (Mr. A. Lowry) H. Persse	4 7 11
CONTRABAND (Ld. Rosebery) J. Jarvis	3 7 11

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
030 KHEDIVE ..... H. Leach	7/1
041 MIMICRY ..... James	3/2
400 IDLE HOUR ..... H. Wragg	10/1
000 SAMPHIRE ..... G. Richards	8/2
000 FIRST FLIGHT ..... Perryman	7/4
010 ALL OVER ..... Sirett	10/1

LATEST SCRATCHINGS.—Princess Stakes—Gareloch. Ellesmere Stakes—Vindication. Camelford, San Marino, and Mail Fist. Milton Welter—Maudlin.

CARLISLE RETURNS.

PHYSIC BALL SECURES THE BELL.

2.0—DUMFRIES PLATE of 200 sovs. Two years old. 5 f.

Mr. J. J. Bell Irving's ch. f. SORTIE, by Sonning—Bridge of Bath, 8-6 ..... E. Fox 1
Mr. A. McAlpine's HIT THE DECK, 8-6 ..... J. Thwaites 2
Mr. W. J.—Bellerby's GOLDEN DUN, 8-3 ..... T. Tannock 3

Also ran—Rock Bottom (G. Baines), Pyjama (H. Beasley), Princess Sheila g. (G. Richards), Black Star (R. Stokes), Augustine (H. Wragg), Compound Fracture (S. Wragg), Dulker (W. Bird), Fair Nun c. (H. Southey), Kettle Car (R. Perryman), Cuchan (A. Burns), Finnea g. (J. Sirett), St. Judy (acd. (G. Forsyth), Minter c. (Cuthbert), Headache (J. Dines), Piloxine f. (S. Donoghue). Off at 2.2. (Winner trained by W. Jarvis.)

Betting—4 to 1 agst. ST. PRISCA, 7 to 1 Minstrec, 8 to 1 each Cross Keys and Compound Fracture, 10 to each Chicory and Black Star, 100 to 8 Ad Montem, 20 to 1 any other.

Won by eight lengths; a length and a half. Ad Montem was fourth and Kettle Car last.

The winner was sold to Mr. W. Murray for 1,950 guineas.

2.30—EXETER STAKES of 30 sovs. each, with 300 sovs. added. Two years old. 6 f.

Sir R. Garton's AYN HALI C., by The Boss, 8-12 ..... J. Childs 1
Major McCalmont's EMPIRE BUILDER, 9-6 ..... H. Beasley 2

Vicomte de Fontarce's SPANISH, 9-6 ...M. Beary 3

Also ran—Reef c. (B. Carslake), Merton Abbey (R. Jones), Horus (J. Sirett), The Bastard (C. Elliott), Catch Crop f. (G. Richards). Off at 2.36. (Winner trained by Walters.)

Betting—Evens Empire Builder, 7 to 2 agst. AYN HALI C., 7 to 1 Reef c., 100 to 12 each Spanish and Catch Crop f., 20 to 1 any other.

Won by a length and a half; a head. Reef c. was fourth and Catch Crop f. last.

3.0—JULY CUP, a plate of 300 sovs. 6f. Capt. H. Whitworth's ch. c. GOLDEN ORACLE, by Arch Gift—Golden Goose, 3, 8-10 ..... J. Childs 1
Mr. D. L. Wilson's FOUR IN HAND, 3, 8-10 ..... H. Jelliss 2
Sir R. Garton's MISTY MOON, 3, 7-10 A. Burns 3
Also ran—Tetrill (J. Dines). Off at 3.3. (Winner trained by Boyd-Rochfort.)

Betting—5 to 4 on GOLDEN ORACLE, 7 to 2 agst. Tetrill, 5 to 1 Misty Moon, 100 to 15 Four in Hand.

Won by three lengths; two lengths.

3.30—PRINCESS OF WALES'S STAKES of 30 sovs. each, with 2,000 sovs. added. 1½m.

Sir A. Bailey's b. c. TOURIST, by Son-in-Law—Touraine, 3, 7-7 ..... J. Dines 1
Mr. J. A. de Rothschild's CAPORAL, 3, 8-12 ..... B. Carslake 2

Lord Lonsdale's LODORE, 3, 8-0 G. Richards 3
Mr. Sol Joel's Potocki, 3, 8-8 ..... F. Winter 0
M.M. Boussac's Start II., 4, 8-5 ... C. Elliott 0
Lord Southampton's Cavaliero, 3, 8-5 J. Childs 0
Lady Richardson's Fernkloof, 3, 8-5 ..... R. Perryman 0
Mrs. W. Raphael's Kossolian, 3, 7-7 S. Wragg 0
Lord Derby's Sans Changer, 3, 7-5 T. Weston 0
Mr. A. R. Cox's Hartford, 3, 7-8 S. Donoghue 0
Mr. J. B. Joel's Cherry King, 3, 7-7 A. Burns 0

Also ran—Margaret Moira c. (E. Parker). Off 3.30. (Winner trained by Storie.)

Betting—9 to 4 on LA SAUTEUSE G.,

SPORTING GOSSIP

Jockey Club and Betting Bill.

At the meeting of the Jockey Club, held at Newmarket on Wednesday night, the following resolution was passed:—"That the Club hopes that the Racecourse Betting Bill may become law in the form in which it has been returned to the House of Commons by the Committee to which it was referred; that the Club pledges itself to accept the trust imposed upon it by the bill in letter and in spirit, and to do its best to carry out that trust in a manner that will be fair and equitable to all the interests concerned."

Lloydie and Flying Arab Sold.

Mr. J. Laverty has sold to Mr. H. M. Hartigan the promising young 'chaser, Lloydie, a six-year-old gelding by Vedanta out of Lizzie Lane, who won his third race off the reel at Bellewstown on Wednesday. The three-year-old Flying Arab, by Tangiers out of Noble Lady, who has won three of his four races this year, has been sold out of Mr. Parkinson's stable.

Mr. P. Dennis to Train.

Amongst the visitors to the Bellewstown Meeting this week were Mr. Dyke Dennis and his son, Mr. P. Dennis. The latter, who intends starting training next winter, has purchased a couple of young jumpers from Mr. C. A. Rogers.

The King Watches Scuttle at Work.

The King, accompanied by Viscount Lascelles, the Earl of Sefton, Mr. Marshall Field, and Major Fetherstonhaugh, again watched the work of W. R. Jarvis's team at Newmarket yesterday morning, when the King's One Thousand Guineas winner, Scuttle, went a smart five furlongs along with Bowood. Taka San and St. Sylvestre were given a striding-pace gallop over a mile, while others of the team cantered.

IRISH BREEDERS' PRODUCE STAKES OF £1,000.

(To be run to-morrow (Saturday) at Phœnix Park.)

PROBABLE STARTERS AND JOCKEYS.

PRINCE METEOR (Mr. F. S. Myerscough), ch. c. by Flying Orb—Queen Herodias (Grundy). 9-10 ..... J. Leach.
TULLYCROSS (Major Dixon), ch. c. by Apron—Gilford (Behan). 8-10..... H. Beasley.
SOLOPTIC (Mr. C. L. Mackean), ch. f. by Soldennis—Dark Eyes (Blake), ... E. M. Quirke.
SONG OF ESSEX (Major E. Shirley), br. c. by Essexford—Cradle Song (J. Rogers), 8-5 ..... M. Wing.
TETRABROOK (Mr. B. Gallagher), ch. f. by Tetratema—Miss Hazelbrook (J. Dawson), 8-2 ..... A. Dardis.
MELLIFEROUS (Mr. J. Daly), b. f. by He Loves Meimond (Owner), 8-2..... H. Harty.
KNOCKNACARRY (Major Dixon), ch. f. by The Boss—Glenina (Behan), 8-2...A. Barrett.
MELTOY (Miss M. Ballesty), b. f. by Achtoi —Mrs. Meldoon (J. Dawson), 8-2..... W. Bea.

CURRAGH TRAINING NOTES.

THE CURRAGH, Thursday.

A showery morning.

BEHAN'S Sable, Connor, Monla, St. Dromack, and the two-year-olds were restricted to healthy exercise. Both Sable and the two-year-old Tullycross are in excellent fettle for their Phœnix Park engagements on Saturday.

COOMBS'S Juva, Ask Her, Modern Girl, Ohio's Gift, and others took matters easy.

DOYLE'S May Orb, Battle Bridge, Homeward, Minnetonka, and others of the team exercised on the roads.

FETHERSTONHAUGH'S Moon Maiden galloped a mile. Mount Elliot went five furlongs.

GRUNDY'S Wavetop, Hanoverian, Prosperity, Silver Work, Silver Dawn, Wilt, Favour, Prince Meteor, and others were usefully employed. Prince Meteor is very well for the Breeders' Produce Stakes on Saturday.

HARTIGAN'S Diomedia, Wondrous, Carat, Southerner, Precious Gem, Grand Day, and the two-year-olds had useful bouts of healthy exercise.

PERRY'S Knocklong Boy cantered five furlongs

PARKINSON'S River Thames, Green Shutter, Double Spot, and the rest of the team had healthy exercise.

ROGERS'S Athford, Elton, She Might and the two-year-olds were usefully employed.

ATHLETICS.

BISHOP FOY SCHOOL SPORTS.

The following were the results at Bishop Foy School sports, Waterford. Details:—

100 Yards (Senior).—1, Meyler; 2, Stanford. 11 secs.

220 Yards (Senior).—1, Meyler; 2, Stanford. 27 3-5 secs.

440 Yards (Senior).—1, Milne; 2, Howe III.; 3, Meyler. 64 secs.

100 Yards (Middle).—1, Howe III.; 2, Milne. 13 3-5 secs.

100 Yards (Junior).—1, Perry II.; 2, Hutchinson. 12 secs.

220 Yards (Junior).—1, Keays; 2, Howe IV. 27 3-5 secs.

440 Yards (Junior).—1, Keays; 2, Howe IV.; 3, Milne II.

High Jump (Senior).—1, Meyler; 2, Howe II.

Long Jump (Senior).—1, Meyler; 2, Howe II. 17ft. 10ins.

High Jump (Junior).—1, Keays; 2, Howe IV. 15ft. 6ins.

Throwing the Cricket Ball (Senior).—1, West; 2, Meyler. 83 yards.

Throwing the Cricket Ball (Junior).—1, Keays; 2, Howe IV.

Relay Race (half-mile).—1, Waterford (Cork, Kerry and Tipperary also competed).

Senior Championship Cup, presented by Mr. L. Hutchinson, M.P.S.I.).—G. F. Meyler.

Junior Championship (Silver Cup presented by Mr. T. G. Stoney, Bank of Ireland).—A. J. Keays.

GIRLS' EVENTS.

100 Yards (Senior).—1, M. Moore; 2, J. Barton.

100 Yards (Junior).—1, S. B. Watts; 2, L. Burchall.

Walking Race.—1, M. Moore; 2, B. R. Moore.

Siamese Race (Senior).—1, Misses M. and B. Moore.

Siamese Race (Junior).—1, Misses N. Ellis and R. McKeen.

LOWER SCHOOL EVENTS.

80 Yards (boys under 8).—1, Stoney II.; 2, Deany.

80 Yards (girls under 11).—1, D. Milne; 2, G. Jackson.

80 Yards (boys under 13).—1, Boyle II.; 2, Stoney I.

RAILWAY CLEARING HOUSE SPORTS.

The eighth annual sports meeting of the Irish Railway Clearing House was brought off yesterday at the Railway and Steam Packet Union ground, Park avenue, in fine weather and before a good attendance. Being a confined meeting, there was nothing outstanding in the way of performances, but the competition all round was keen, and the programme a varied and enjoyable one, including, as it did, besides the usual athletic contests, a lawn tennis tournament and a clock golf competition, and winding up with a dance. The prizes were presented at the close by the president, Mr. W. Richardson, secretary, I.R.C.H. Details:—

100 Yards Handicap—First heat—J. Davy (5 yards) and H. Watchorn (5 yards) dead-heated for first place; T. J. Browner (3). 5. Also ran—M. Moore, J. J. Boucher, A. J. Patterson. Won by a yard. Time—11 2-5 secs. Second heat—J. P. Cunningham (8), 1; R. A. Sutton (2), 2; P. Byrd (7), 3. Also ran—J. J. Flynn. Won by half a yard. Time—11 1-5 secs.

Final—Cunningham, 1; Watchorn, 2; Sutton, 3. Six ran. Won by a yard; half a yard. Time—10 3-5 secs.

Putting 16lb. Shot (handicap)—P. Larkin (scr.), 31ft. 9ins.; 1; J. M. Glynn (2ft.), 31ft. 8ins., 2; T. C. Browner (1ft.), 30ft. 6ins., 3. Also competed—H. W. Sully, E. J. Short, S. A. Deighan, W. O'Connor, J. P. Cunningham, J. J. Keane, J Davy, A. J. Patterson.

High Jump (handicap)—M. C. Moore (5ins.), 5ft. 3ins., 1; R. A. Sutton (3ins.), 5ft. 1in., 2; S. A. Deighan (4ins.), 4ft. 11ins., 3. Also competed—J. F. Heagney, S. W. Kelly, J. F. Doran, J. J. Flynn.

300 Yards (handicap)—M. C. Moore (15 yards), 1; P. Roe (12 yards), 2; J. Davy (10 yards), 3. Also ran—J. Flynn. R. A. Sutton, H. A. Watchorn, J. C. Cunningham, S. W. Kelly. Won by two yards; half a yard. Time—42 secs.

Long Jump (handicap)—R. A. Sutton (4ft.), 21ft. 11ins., 1; J. S. Heagney (4ft.), 21ft. 3½ins., 2; J. J. Flynn (4ft.), 21ft. 1in., 3. Also competed—S. A. Deighan, M. C. Moore, J. Davy, S. W. Kelly, J. F. Doran.

Half-Mile (handicap)—P. Roe (25 yards), 1; J. J. Flynn (10 yards), 2; J. Davy (15 yards), 3. Also ran—J. J. Keane, S. A. Deighan, J. P. Cunningham. Won by five yards; a yard. Time—2 mins. 18 secs. Deighan made the running from Keane, who, after a lap, rapped his ankle. Flynn went out, but Roe challenged into the straight, and won a good race.

Novelty Race—Miss McEvoy and J. S. Heagney, 1. Six pairs competed.

Children's Race—J. Farrell, 1; P. Flynn, 2; Sixteen competed.

LAWN TENNIS TOURNAMENT.

Women's Doubles—Semi-final round.

Misses O'Connor and H. Kirwan (3) beat Misses Wyer and McEvoy (15), 9-11, 6-2, 6-2.

Misses Short and Blackmore (1) beat Misses Dawson and M. O'Farrell (2), 5-7, 6-3, 6-1.

Final—Misses O'Connor and Kirwan beat Misses Short and Blackmore, 7-5, 6-2.

THE LAST OF THE FIRST ROUND
TO-NIGHT at 8.15
MID-SUMMER SWEEPSTAKES
Winner £100
Semi-Finals Tuesday Next
Final Following Friday
HAROLD'S CROSS PARK
GREYHOUND RACING
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GREYHOUND RACING.

AT HAROLD'S CROSS PARK.

The fourth, fifth and sixth heats of the Midsummer Sweepstake formed the attraction at Harold's Cross Park last night. The Celbridge dog, Alert, who is much fancied to win the stake, gave backers a good start by winning the fourth heat. This son of Palmer was favourite, but it was only by three-parts of a length that he gained the verdict over Ruthless, who came with a rare rattle in the straight.

Bashful Bingo won the fifth heat after a great finish with Cavalier, the verdict being only a head. Brown Bottle was the winner of the sixth heat, in which Jim's Pet and Benbo dead-heated for second place. In the run-off Benbo got better away, and easily qualified for the semi-final stage.

The Northern dog, Carpio, gave an impressive display of jumping in winning the Metropolitan Hurdle, while Goodnight Kiss, the winner of the Midland Hurdle, also went round in faultless style. Details:—

MIDSUMMER OPEN SWEEPSTAKE (Fourth Heat).—Mrs. T. Ahern's f. w. d. ALERT (3) (Palmer—Lady Essex), 1; Mrs. J. Regan's RUTHLESS (2), 2. Also ran—Mr. P. Rooney's Raja Prince (5), Mr. M. Prendergast's Dear Nellie (1), Mr. J. Hughes's Shaker (4). Betting—6 to 4 agst. ALERT, 2 to 1 Shaker, 5 to 1 each Raja Prince and Ruthless, 10 to 1 Dear Nellie. Won by three-parts of a length. Time—30 4-5 secs.

Fifth Heat—Mr. L. Nash's r. f. d. BASHFUL BINGO (2) (Beaded Prince—Musik Star), 1; Miss E. F. Stewart's Cavalier (1), 2. Also ran—Mr. G. Yeate's Have Another (4), Mrs. T. Duff's Dark Dragoon (3). Betting—Evens Cavalier, 2 to 1 agst. BASHFUL BINGO, 4 to 1 Dark Dragoon, 10 to 1 Have Another. Won by a head. Time—31 secs.

SIXTH HEAT.—Mr. J. W. Walsh's f. d. BROWN BOTTLE (2) (Nice Words—Sansovino), 1; Mr. F. Loughran's BENBO (3) *2; Mr. B. Kiely's JIM'S PET (5), *. Also ran—Mr. P. J. McNamara's Bluette, Mr. J. Murphy's Mayo Laddie (1). * Dead heat. Betting—6 to 4 agst. BROWN BOTTLE, 5 to 1 each Jim's Pet, Benbo, and Mayo Laddie, 6 to 1 Bluette. Won by three lengths. Jim's Pet and Benbo dead-heated for second place, and in the run off Benbo won by six lengths. Time—31 secs.

METROPOLITAN HURDLE.—Winner, £10; second, £8.—Mr. P. Carson's bd. d. CARPIO (2) (Hurrah—Patricia Desmond), 1; Mrs. E. O'Neill's JOLLYCOURT (1), 2. Also ran—Mr. A. O'Connor's Clouded Star (3), Mr. E. Moriarty's Money Earner (4). Betting—Evens CARPIO, 2 to 1 agst. Jollycourt, 4 to 1 Clouded Star, 10 to 1 Money Earner. Won by four lengths. Time—32 3-5 secs.

MIDLAND HURDLE.—Winner, £8; second, £2.—Mr. A. Massey's f. b. GOODNIGHT KISS (') (Hyder Ali—Rochdale), 1; Mr. G. Moyler's VERDON BOY (3), 2. Also ran—Mr. J. Kelly's Electro (2), Mr. J. Rooney's Recreation (1). Betting—6 to 4 each agst. Recreation and GOODNIGHT KISS, 6 to 1 each Verdon Boy and Electro. Won by two lengths. Time—34 3-5 secs

CONNAUGHT PLATE (BITCHES).—Winner, £8; second, £2.—Mr. F. O'Leary's bk. DANGEROUS GUIDE (3) (Guiding Hand—Gunpowder), 1; Mr. P. J. Kelly's LUCY WHITE (5), 2. Also ran—Mr. E. P. Keane's Dear Light (1), Mr. F. Scallan's Cantera (2), Mr. D. Dunne's The Small Firm (4). Miss B. Andrew's Lady Velvet (6). Betting—2 to 1 Dangerous Cantera, 3 to 1 each Lucy White and DANGEROUS GUIDE, 4 to 1 Dear Light, 6 to 1 Lady Velvet, 10 to 1 The Small Firm. Won by six lengths. Time—31 3-5 secs.

AT HAROLD'S CROSS PARK.

TO-NIGHT'S PROGRAMME.

8.15—MID-SUMMER OPEN SWEEPSTAKE—Seventh Heat—Mr. W. Garrett's O'HENRY'S PRIDE, Mr. C. P. Byrne's HONEST VICTORY, Messrs. Heehen and Quinn's WISE WIDOW, Mr. J. P. Nolan's NEW ORDER, Mrs. P. Martin's KEEN SPEED.

8.35—METROPOLITAN HURDLE—First, £10; second, £3—Mr. E. Moriarty's MONEY EARNER, Mr. P. O'Brien's MOUNTAIN GLIDER, Mr. W. Brady's WICKED WILL, Mr. A. Callan's RIDDLE OF THE SANDS. To fill vacancies—Mr. J. Kearney's CUPSHOT, Mr. J. Mooney's CONQUER LAD.

8.55—MID-SUMMER OPEN SWEEPSTAKE—Eighth Heat—Mr. P. O'Brien's BLONDIEN, Mr. M. A. Verrecchia's MUINIBEAG BOY, Mr. T. Fitzsimons's TOM SOLLAGH, Mrs. B. Sherry's VICTORIOUS KASHMIR, Mr. J. Morgan's BAGGAGE.

9.15—MID-SUMMER OPEN SWEEPSTAKE—Ninth Heat—Mr. J. Keenan's KEEN BOYO, Mr. P. Brien's HOOD CLOAK, Mr. P. J. McNamara's NEWTOWN BLUE, Mr. J. M. Riordan's SHERKEEN LAD, Mr. P. Kinsella's HARD TO CHRISTEN.

9.35—MIDLAND HURDLE—First, £8; second, £2—Mr. M. Ryan's HOPEFUL EVENT, Mr. J. M. Riordan's BANNA BREAKER, Mr. T. Brien's GORTROE'S PRIDE, Mr. R. McCrea's BALLYFORTUNE'S KASHMIR, Mr. J. Morgan's FAIREIELD PRIDE, Mr. G. Colbert's DIPPLE.

9.55—CONNAUGHT PLATE—First, £8; second, £2—Mr. J. Scott's CROMONIA, Mr. J. P. Campbell's CAMP LIFE, Miss A. McCann's SPEEDY COUNTESS, Mr. M. Carty's CRAAN LADY, Mr. N. O'Byrne's BEADED BRIDGE, Mr. M. Pender's BURNEM'S GIRL. To fill vacancies—Mr. R. Power's PALM LEAF, Mr. P. Gleeson's GABY FIELD.

AT DUNMORE PARK.

Rain spoiled the attendance at Dunmore Park last evening, and favourites did not fare very well.

DUNMORE STAKES.—Mr. W. J. Dolaghan's DONACLONEY QUEEN (4/1), 1; Mr. W. Eastwood's RIGHT ENOUGH (2/1), 2. Also ran—Reckless Rex, Magpie and Malone Mashet. A short head. 37 3-5 secs.

BRANTWOOD HURDLE.—Mr. P. Murray's DAVID'S PRIDE (5/1), 1; Mr. J. Rutherford's SURPRISE GIFT (5/2), 2. Also ran—Market Bar and Middle Cut. Four lengths. 41 secs.

CRUSADER STAKES.—Mr. H. Mussen's MOTI MAHAL (5/2), 1; Mr. J. Morgan's BAGGAGE (5/4 on), 2. Also ran—Keen Blade. Four lengths. 25 secs.

CHICHESTER STAKES.—Mr. W. Robinson's RED SEAL (5/2), 1; Mr. P. M'Closkey's BLAZE AWAY (4/1), 2. Also ran—Alloa, Mallusk Masher, Jumbo and Oldtown Bay. Two lengths. 26 secs.

FORTWILLIAM STAKES.—Mr. S. Agnew's BALLYNERRY LAD (5/2), 1; Mr. C. Close's CRAIG TARA (7/4), 2. Also ran—Green Street Lass, Gallant Greenville and Scarlet Satin. Four lengths. 38 secs.

LISNALINCHY STAKES.—Mr. H. Fraser's FAIR SLIP (7/2), 1; Mr. D. M'Gowan's GRAIG LADY (4/1), 2. Also ran—Wild Usker, Sprightly and Connie. Four lengths. 26 secs.

INSURANCE AGENT'S DOWNFALL.

PENAL SERVITUDE SENTENCE.

In the Wicklow Circuit Court last Wednesday Mathew Graham, Ballinacarrig, Rathdrum, was indicted on thirteen charges, involving the registration of thirty-six fictitious deaths in the registry offices of Rathdrum, Avoca, Dungarstown and Aughrim; uttering twenty-eight forged medical certificates of the cause of death; obtaining forty-three false death certificates; forging various documents and obtaining from the Prudential Assurance Company £1,082; forging names in the registers; obtaining by false pretences from holders of endowment policies in his district £187; forging documents in their cases; embezzling £72, the property of one policyholder; stealing £48 from another and a policy from a third.

Accused man pleaded guilty to all counts.

Mr. Cullen, State Solicitor, said that it was the most formidable indictment ever presented against a prisoner. An energetic agent, apparently honest and upright, it was only last April that suspicion fell on him.

THE DEFENCE.

Mr. Kingsmill Moore, Barrister-at-Law (instructed by Mr. McCarroll) defending, said that the State Solicitor had outlined what appeared to be a deliberate, calculated swindle for the purpose of enriching the prisoner; but when he stated that the prisoner was a person who spent practically nothing, did not drink, gamble, or even smoke, and lived almost penuriously, as would be deposed to by the superintendent and two clergymen of the Catholic faith, and that he was several hundreds of pounds worse off than in 1919, when he started his collection, the Judge would see that it was no ordinary case. It was a case of a man robbing Peter to pay Paul, where, through over leniency and a rather quixotic point of view, he was heavily involved, and had to resort to what he frankly described as a series of frauds in order to make up for his earlier foolishness.

Evidence of previous good character having been testified to, Mr. Frank Robertson, submanager for Ireland, said that the company would protect the policyholders' interests, and added that, if they had been aware of the conditions, they would have held over the premiums, as occurred in the coal strike of 1926, when they carried two million premiums.

JUDGE'S REMARK.

Delivering considered sentence, Judge Doyle said that the gravity of the case was clearly established. No Court could treat it leniently or give effect to previous good character. The attitude of the assurance company was very creditable. The sentence would take the form of five years' penal servitude on each of the false pretences counts, and seven on each of the remaining counts, the periods to run concurrently.

Peter and Kate Murphy, Ballinacarrig, Rathdrum, charged with conspiring with Graham and registering false names and uttering false death certificates in a number of the cases, pleaded guilty.

The Judge pronounced a sentence of two years with hard labour, execution to be suspended and the accused persons to give recognisances to come up for judgment. They were then discharged.

WIMBLEDON.

BRILLIANT VICTORY FOR AUSTRALIA.

WONDERFUL GAME BY J. B. HAWKES.

STA. DE ALVAR— INDISPOSED.

Again there were sensations in the centre court at Wimbledon yesterday. They were caused by the superb play of an Australian, who, by the force of his own individual efforts, won the day against W. T. Tilden and F. T. Hunter, holders of the men's doubles championship, in the semi-final round.

J. B. Hawkes was the hero of the day. Men who had seen the doubles of the past, and knew how good E. Roper Barrett was at his best, declared that the display given by Hawkes was easily the best which has been seen since Roper Barrett was at his zenith. Hawkes was partnered by Gerald Patterson, the man with the demon service.

A 12,000 GALLERY.

At the start the spectators—there were at least 12,000—marvelled at the amazing shots of the left-handed Australian. They saw him cross-volley with astounding judgment; they saw him beat Tilden's mighty reach time after time, and they saw him adopt tactics which left the American opponents astonished.

Throughout a match which lasted three hours and required 70 games for its decision, Hawkes was the outstanding player. Tilden made mistakes, but not so many as Hunter. Patterson put in some crushing services and drives, but through it all Hawkes was the scoring and the defensive factor.

Tilden seemed tired, and there was general regret at the final overthrow of the American. He and Hunter were the holders, and they were beaten after one of the greatest struggles ever seen.

THE CRISIS.

At one time—it was in the fourth set—they were within a point of the match, but they failed to get it, and the Australians caught them. Even so, the Americans seemed to be on top most of the time, and then in the last game they were crushed by Patterson.

A Wimbledon centre court crowd knows how to cheer, but not for many years has there been such a terrific wave of enthusiasm as swept over those crowded stands when the Australians won their match.

THE WOMEN'S SINGLES.

As a result of the indisposition of Senorita de Alvarez, who is ill with laryngitis, the final of the ladies' singles championship, which was to have been played at Wimbledon today, has been postponed until to-morrow. There is no time limit to the championship meeting, and the match could be further postponed. In place of the ladies' final, the men's final, between H. Cochet (holder) and Rene Lacoste, will be played to-day. Details:—

WOMEN'S DOUBLES.
Fourth Round (Concluded).

Miss Boyd (Ireland) and Miss Bell beat Miss L. Colyer and Miss Bouman—8-6, 6-3.

Mrs. Lycett and Miss Ryan beat Mrs. O'Hara Wood and Miss L. Bickerton—7-5, 9-7.

MEN'S DOUBLES.
Semi-Final Round.

J. B. Hawkes and G. L. Patterson beat W. T. Tilden and F. T. Hunter (holders)—7-9, 7-9, 6-4, 6-4, 10-8.

H. Cochet and J. Brugnon beat G. Lott and J. Hennessey—11-9, 6-4, 3-6, 7-5.

MIXED DOUBLES.
Third Round (Concluded).

G. R. O. Crole-Rees and Mrs. Watson beat J. Borotra and Mme. Bordes—6-4, 6-3.

Fourth Round.

P. D. B. Spence and Miss Ryan beat L. A. Godfree and Mrs. Covell—4, 6-3.

F. T. Hunter and Miss Wills beat C. F. Scroope and Mrs. Shepherd Barron—6-1, 6-3.

Owing to bad light, the match between H. Cochet and Miss E. Bennett and J. Crawford and Miss D. Akhurst had to be stopped after each side had won a set. The game will be continued to-day.

ARMY CHAMPIONSHIPS.

Yesterday at Portobello Barracks the Army championships reached the final stages. Details:—

SINGLES.

Semi-finals—Captain Gunn (5th Brigade) beat Lieutenant Shannon (6th Brigade)—6-4, 4-6, 6-1; Commandant M. H. O'Connor (G.H.Q.) beat Lieutenant F. Power (6th Brigade)—6-0, 6-3.

DOUBLES.

Semi-finals—Captain Fitzpatrick and Lieutenant Power (6th Brigade) beat Captain Gunn and Captain Gallagher (5th Brigade)—6-2, 6-0; Commandant O'Connor and Captain King (G.H.Q.), a bye.

Final—Commandant O'Connor and Captain King (G.H.Q.) beat Captain Fitzpatrick and Lieutenant Power (6th Brigade)—4-6, 6-4, 6-0.

ENNISKILLEN TOURNAMENT.

Enniskillen Lawn Tennis Tournament was continued yesterday, the weather being more favourable. Many handicap matches were played, and, on the hard courts, the championship matches were played. Details:—

Women's Singles—Miss Hyde beat Miss Webb, 6-1, 6-1; Mrs. Greenop w.o., Mrs. Norris scr.

LANSDOWNE.—Members still in club tournament are requested to attend at clubhouse, under penalty of being scratched, in order to complete outstanding matches preparatory to the finals on Thursday next, when the annual "at home" will be held.

PERCY.—The annual "At Home" of the Percy L.T.C. will be held on their grounds at Belmont, Avenue to-morrow, when the finals of club tournaments will be played. The band of the Carrigiea School will play during the afternoon, and a dance will be held in the pavilion in the evening.

IRISH LAWN TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIPS

At FITZWILLIAM TENNIS CLUB, DUBLIN, 16th to 21st JULY.
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Entry Forms from the HON. SECRETARY.
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ALL-IRELAND POLO CLUB.

EVERSDEN (5) V. THE REST (1).

Two clever combinations in Eversden and The Rest met in a four-chukkar match at the All-Ireland Polo Ground, Phœnix Park, yesterday, and Eversden had a rather easy victory by five goals to one.

The defeat of The Rest was due in no small measure to the weakness of the defence, and to the forceful hitting of the winners when in the region of the goals. It was the strong drives that really won the match, as the cut up condition of the ground offered considerable resistance to ground strokes.

Captain Bernard Daly, probably the oldest player in the game to-day—he is 44 years an active member of the A.I.P.C.—was in fine form, and scored twice, while Sir Lingard Gooding the first of the winners. Mr. Malone scored The Rest's single point. Teams:—

Eversden—Captain B. Daly, O. Martin, E. S. Slocock, Sir Lingard Gooding.

The Rest—D. Malone, W. Magee, M. Arnott, F. J. Lillis.

Umpire—Mr. J. W. Shackleton.

TO-MORROW'S MATCH.

At Phœnix Park, to-morrow—General practice, 4.30: Hillbrook v. Beechmark, 5.30.

Hillbrook—E. S. Slocock, W. Magee, Maxwell Arnott, Sir L. Goulding.

Beechpark—F. J. Lillis, J. P. A. Larminie, J. Johnson, J. W. Shackleton.

SWIMMING.

THE FINAL TRIALS.

The following teams, selected to represent Leinster in the final trials at the Waterworks, Belfast, to-morrow, will travel by the 9.15 a.m. train from Amiens street. Members of the teams are requested to note time of travelling:—

Ladies—Miss M. Dockrell, Miss E. McElwee, Miss Morgan-Byrne, Miss Sherlock, Miss D. Taylor, Miss L. Quinn.

Men.—Swimming Events — J. H. Morton, S. Scully, A. B. Brooks, H. Styles, J. S. Brady, R. N. Case, W. Maguire. Diving—E. Heron, C. R. Batt, P. J. Kehoe, W. Carroll.

Water Polo—B. J. Maguire, N. Judd, J. S. Brady, M. A. O'Connor, C. Fagan, H. G. Ellerker, T. H. Dockrell.

Reserves—T. J. Stafford, G. C. Higginbotham, O'S. Roche, J. Quinn, and A. F. Horlacher. The party will meet at the station at 9 a.m.

GUARDS' CHAMPIONSHIPS.

The progress made by the Garda Siochana Club was evident at the Clontarf Baths last evening, and must have been a source of satisfaction to Inspector Beggs, to whose energy and organising capacity the marked improvement in the standard of the swimming is almost entirely due. The events of yesterday included the 100 yards and 220 yards championships of An Garda, in each of which there was a fine entry, and a high general level of swimming ability was displayed. Both events were won by Guard P. O'Byrne, of Ballycroy, the 100 yards in 73 4-5 secs., and the 220 in 3 mins 14 1-5 secs.

100 Yards Championship—Guard P. O'Byrne, Ballycroy, 1; Guard M. J. Monks, Depot, 2; Guard P. McMorrow, Store street, 3. Eight competed. Won by three yards; two yards. Time—73 4-5 secs.

220 Yards Championship—Guard P. O'Byrne, Ballycroy, 1; Guard Manning, Store street, 2; Guard McMorrow, Store street, 3. Seven competed. Won easily. Time—3 mins. 14 1-5 secs.

100 Yards Novices' Handicap—Guard M. Horgan (scr.), 1; Guard R. Donaldson (5), 2; Guard J. Lane (15), 3. Ten competed. Won by a touch; same. Time—90 1-5 secs.

PEMBROKE S.C.—Men—100 yards handicap this evening at Victoria Baths, Kingstown, at 6.30. 100 yards handicap (under 19)—1, D. O'Connor and Wood (dead-heat); 3rd, Murphy. Eight competed. Ladies' Section—This evening, at 6 o'clock: 220 yards handicap (Mooney Cup), seniors; 50 yards handicap (Committee prize), juniors.

HIBERNIAN MARINE SCHOOL.—Life-saving competition, Clontarf Baths, 9.30 this morning.

At the Twelfth of July demonstration of the Belfast Orangemen, the speakers will include the County Grand Master (Sir Joseph Davison), the Rev. R. R. McMath, Quebec; Dr. Gebson, Toronto; the Right Hon. Herbert Dixon, D.L., M.P.; Mr. A. G. Richmond, Toronto; and Senator Joseph Cunningham.

ROWING.

HENLEY REGATTA.

AMERICA BEATEN IN THE "GRAND."

The weather for international day at Henley contrasted strongly with that of Wednesday. It was dull and cold. There were few of the gay scenes presented by the light frocks at the opening, and most of the occupants of the craft along the booms were wearing overcoats. It was a rowing crowd, and a big one, that watched some excellent racing.

The competitors had an uncomfortable time, because the course was choppy and a stiff wind blowing against them all the way made the times slow. All the overseas challengers made their appearance yesterday, but they only met with partial success, and of the visitors only Joseph Wright, the beaten finalist of last year, and his fellow-traveller from Canada, J. Guest, remain, both surviving their initial trials in the Diamond Sculls. These two Canadians will meet in the semi-final heat to-day for the right to oppose D. Guye, of London, or R. T. Lee, Oxford University (the holder), in the final.

The only foreign eight at Henley was defeated in their first outing, the Union B.C., of Boston, U.S.A., being beaten in the Grand by London R.C., after a magnificent race. Another very fine race was that in the Wyfold Cup (fours) between Dublin University B.C. and Westminster Bank, the latter only winning by two feet after a thrilling contest. Details:—

THAMES CHALLENGE CUP.

Heat 6.—Jesus College, Cambridge, beat Balliol College, Oxford, by two and a half lengths. Time—8 mins. 26 secs.

Heat 7.—Westminster Bank beat Quinton B.C. by one and a half lengths. Time—8 mins. 21 secs.

Heat 8.—Imperial College beat University of Reading easily. Time—8 mins. 20 secs.

Heat 9.—Sidney, Sussex College, Cambridge, beat St. Catherine's College, Cambridge, by one length. Time—8 mins. 40 secs.

Heat 10.—Thames R.C. beat Peterhouse College, Cambridge, by three-quarters of a length. Time—8 mins. 25 secs.

Heat 11.—Twickenham R.C. beat Maidenhead R.C. by one length. Time—8 mins. 5 secs.

Heat 12.—First Trinity, Cambridge, beat National Provincial Bank by five feet. Time—8 mins. 25 secs.

Heat 13.—Kingston R.C. beat Lensbury R.C. by three-quarters of a length. Time—8 mins. 15 secs.

LADIES' CHALLENGE PLATE.

Heat 9.—Jesus College, Cambridge, beat Magdalen College, Oxford, by three-quarters of a length. Time—7 mins. 51 secs.

Heat 10.—Selwyn College, Cambridge, beat Lady Margaret College, Cambridge, by three-quarters of a length. Time—8 mins. 7 secs.

Heat 11.—New College, Oxford, beat Bedford School by one length. Time—8 mins. 14 secs.

Heat 12.—Christ's College, Cambridge, beat Shrewsbury School by one and a quarter lengths. Time—8 mins. 20 secs.

GRAND CHALLENGE CUP.

Heat 1.—London R.C. beat Union Boat Club, Boston, U.S.A., by three-quarters of a length. Time—7 mins. 52 secs.

DIAMOND CHALLENGE SCULLS.

Heat 4.—D. Guye (London R.C.), 12st. 12lb., beat Henri de Kok (Wemmerpam Sailing Club, South Africa), 10st. 8lb. Guye finished in a paddle to win by one length in 10 mins. 27 secs.

Heat 5.—J. Guest (Argonaut, B.C., Toronto), 12st. 12lb., beat T. R. R. Sanders (Eton Vikings), 11st. 10lb., by lengths, in 9 mins. 58 secs.

Heat 6.—J. Wright (Argonaut B.C., Toronto), 12st. 11lb., beat T. D. Collet (Leander Club), 12st. 3lb., by two and a half lengths, in 10 mins. 6 secs.

Heat 7.—R. T. Lee (Worcester College, Oxford), 12st. 6lb., beat H. R. A. Edwards (Old Westminster B.C.), 12st. 9lb., by two and a half lengths, in 9 mins. 28 secs.

VISITORS' CHALLENGE CUP.

Heat 1.—Clare College, Cambridge, beat Brasenose College, Oxford, by three and a half lengths. Time—8 mins. 46 secs.

Heat 2.—Jesus College, Cambridge, beat Pembroke College, Cambridge, by half a length. Time—8 mins. 52 secs.

Heat 3.—Magdalen College, Oxford, beat Wadham College, Oxford, by one and a half lengths. Time—9 mins.

Heat 4.—First Trinity, Cambridge, beat Third Trinity, Cambridge, by one and a quarter lengths. Time—8 mins. 13 secs.

WYFOLD CHALLENGE CUP.

Heat 4.—Vesta R.C. beat Kingston R.C. by a length. Time—8 mins. 55 secs.

Heat 5.—Trinity Hall, Cambridge, beat Thames R.C. easily. Time—9 mins. 7 secs.

Heat 6.—Westminster Bank beat Dublin University B.C. by two feet. Time—8 mins. 41 secs.

Heat 7.—Jesus College, Cambridge, beat Maidenhead R.C. easily. Time—8 mins. 47 secs.

WATERFORD REGATTA.

WEXFORD FOUR RUN DOWN.

Waterford Boat Club annual regatta was held yesterday, and, being the golden jubilee of the club, a special effort was made to render it more successful than any of its predecessors. In this connection competitors appeared to be in sympathy with the Committee, as entries, particularly in the junior events, were much in advance of those of recent years.

Though the morning broke gloomily, fine weather favoured the meeting in the afternoon, and in consequence a large number of people patronised the regatta. All the vessels in port were gaily decorated, and the scene on the river was unusually gay and animated.

A regrettable incident was the running down of the Wexford Harbour boat, after winning their race in splendid fashion, by one of the launches on the river. The crew were picked up, but the boat was badly damaged. Details:—

Suir Challenge Cup (Senior Fours)—Lee R.C., 1; Waterford B.C., 2.

Lee got away from the start, and, leading throughout, won easily by two lengths. Shannon R.C., being late for the start, did not take part in the race.

Waterford B.C. Challenge Cup (Junior Fours)—Shandon B.C., 1; Waterford B.C., 2. Also competed—Waterford "B," New Ross, and Carlow.

Portlairge Challenge Cup (Maiden Fours)—First Heat: Waterford ("A" Crew), 1; New Ross B.C., 2; Lee R.C., 3. Also competed—Shandon B.C.

Second Heat—Cappoquin R.C., 1; Shannon R.C., 2. Also competed—Wexford Harbour B.C., Carlow R.C., and Waterford B.C. Won by two lengths.

Final—Cappoquin beat Waterford.

Harbour Commissioners' Challenge Cup (Junior Eights)—Wexford Harbour B.C., 1; Waterford B.C., 2. Also competed—New Ross B.C.

Waterford Challenge Cup (Senior Fours)—Waterford B.C. rowed over. Shannon R.C. and Cork Harbour R.C. scratched.

DUNDALK REGATTA CANCELLED.

Dundalk regatta, which had been fixed for the end of July, has been abandoned. The reasons given are lack of interest among the rowing members of the club and lack of public support. It was expected that this year's regatta would have been a big event, as many promises had been received from other clubs of crews, and the announcement made yesterday caused regret.

BLACKROCK (CORK) REGATTA.

The Blackrock (Cork) People's Regatta, held on the Lee on Wednesday, was spoiled by incessant rain, one result of which was to delay the proceedings so much that it was nearly 11 o'clock when they came to a close. The principal results were:—

Junior Fours.—Cork beat Lee by four lengths.

Under-age Fours.—Cork beat Lee by three lengths.

Second Senior Fours—Shandon finished alone; Athlunkard swamped.

Maiden Fours.—Cork, 1; Cork Harbour, 2; Shandon, 0; Lee, 0.

Junior Eights.—

COX'S FURNITURE AND PIANO AUCTION TO-DAY, 12.30, AT 29 BACHELOR'S WALK,

Comprising principally:—Upright Grand Overstrung Piano, by Cramer, London; do., by Sprague and Co.; Learner's Piano, by Gordon and White; Violin, Bow and Case; superior Lofty Glass-back Sideboards and Cabinets, 8ft. Chippendale Dining Table, round ends, on claw and ball legs; 4 Chippendale Dining Chairs, 3 Mahogany-framed do., covered in Morocco; other Sets of 4 and 6 Mahogany Screw Dining Tables, from 8 to 14 feet long; Oval and Round Tables, Falling-leaf and Side Tables, Bookcases and Bureau Bookcases, Hall Stands and Hall Tables, Lounge Arm Chairs, Overmantel Glasses, Fenders and Brasses, Dumb Waiters, Whatnots, Hair-stuffed Chesterfield Sets, covered in Silk Tapestry; Chippendale China Cabinets, Fancy Tables, Whatnots, Pictures and Paintings, Decorative and other China; Bedroom Furnishing in variety, including 6ft. Mahogany and Burr Walnut Wardrobes and Dressing Pairs; two 4ft. 6in. Mahogany Suites, with Double Glass-door Wardrobes; Duchesse Pairs and Bedside Pedestals, 4ft. Satin Walnut Suite, 4ft. 6in. Dark Walnut do., 4ft. Queen Anne design Mahogany Suite, six Mahogany Chests of Drawers, assorted designs; Single Glass-door Wardrobes, Mahogany Toilet Tables and Toilet Glasses, Commodes, Towel Rails, Desk Wardrobes and Presses, Single and Double Beds, with best Wires and Pure Curled Hair Mattresses; Servants' Beds, Fibre Mattresses, Bolsters and Pillows; Kitchen and Dest Furniture in variety, Dressers, Tables, Chairs, Mangles Pots, Pans and Saucepans; a few Carpets, Linoleums, Lawn Mowers, Mail Cars, and numerous Miscellaneous Effects. Goods on View. Auction commences at 12.30. Pianos sold at 3 o'clock.

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GARDEN, FARM, BEES, ETC.

APPLE TREES.
Writing on this subject in the *Weekly Irish Times*, the Gardening Correspondent says:—

That the rain washing has done incalculable good is evident now in clean, fresh foliage, with some natural thinning among the freely fruiting crop, which in some cases might have gone further to advantage. Anyway, we can now be pretty certain that the crop we see is safe, will remain, barring, of course, some hand thinning, which is certainly advisable where young trees yet to make their way in the world are unduly overladen. However, what we particularly ask for at the moment is the shortening back of the lush young growth, thinning out entirely the weaker shoots, cutting the stronger ones back to about four strong, healthy leaves.

AT Drummond's—Procure their List of Bedding Plants of Antirrhinums, Asters, Begonias, Calceolarias, Dahlias, Geraniums, Larkspurs, Lobelias, Marguerites, Marigolds, Pansies, Petunias, Stocks, Sweet Peas, etc. All strong and well grown.—Drummond's, Ltd., 58 Dawson street, Dublin. 12 T

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A THRILLING New Story, "The Mallard Mystery," begins to-day in the "Weekly Irish Times." Price twopence. 3 T

BEDDING Plants from superior strains of seed, all strong transplanted and hardened off:—Asters (Comet, Ostrich Plume, Chrysanthemum-flowered, and others); 10 Week Stock, Lobelia, Golden Feather, Marigolds, Nemesia, Petunias, Phlox Drummondi, 1/- dozen (postage 6d.); 36 2/-, and 3/-, 100 5/9 and 8/-, free.—Ramsay, Ballsbridge. 5 X

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POULTRY, CAGE BIRDS, DAIRY.

SEASONABLE HINTS.
Writing on this subject in the *Weekly Irish Times*, the Poultry Correspondent says:—

What an animated scene a large poultry farm presents at this time of the year! This is about the most crowded period of the whole year. The early birds are approaching maturity; the later broods are still on the rearing ground, whilst the adult laying stock, including the birds that were in the breeding pens, are not yet disposed of. Pullets, cockerels, hens, turkeys, geese and ducks are all at their greatest number, and, perhaps, up to the present not much has been done in the way of reducing them; so that often there is very little more accommodation than there was before hatching commenced. Where this state of things exists culling should commence at once, and so prevent overcrowding. "Weed out, weed out; separate the sheep from the goats as quickly as possible," is the advice of an eminent poultry expert. Disease, vermin and stunted growth are the results of overcrowding, while your profits are swallowed up by keeping unwanted birds.

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"ARBOURFIELD," Dundrum—White Leghorn Cockerels (Snowden), April, 5/6; Light Sussex Cocks, 1927 (Cook), 15/6; laying Hens, 1927, from 3/6; Gloucester Incubator (100 eggs), self turning tray, perfect, £4 15/-.

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WANTED, Upright or Grand Piano, also Wooden Flute.—Case.—B 1956, this office. 5 B

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FOR Sale (mourning), Coat Frocks, Costumes, Jumper, brown, good young cock in winter; rent moderate. Address "Z 389, Shooting," this office. 3 F

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HORSES—2 strong working, 6 and 8 years, quiet farm work.—Blackrock House, Blackrock. 3 F

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GERMAN Shepherd Dog (Alsatian), prize winner, obedience trained. Seen after six.—Smyth, Rockville, Dundrum, Co. Dublin.

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